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The Story So Far...

HARU GLORY is the RAVE MASTER, the only one capable of wielding RAVE and stopping the evil society DEMON CARD. His GUARD is PLUE, a strange creature who can track down the four missing Stones. They are joined by ELIE, a girl in search of her memories. When last we left our team, they had arrived at Elie Village only searching for a "fallen star" that just might be one of the missing Stones. Elie Village has been drenched by nonstop rain for years due to the influence of the "Thunder-Hair." Could it be the work of Demon Card, or perhaps the mysterious man of Elie's past? Three heroes, two quests, one destiny.

HARU GLORY: The Rave Master. Haru is the heir to Rave, the only one capable of wielding it and destroying Dark Stone. Impulsive and headstrong, he's not afraid to put himself in danger to do what is right. His father disappeared in search of Rave when he was very young.

ELIE: A Girl with no past. Elie travels the world in search of the key to her forgotten memories. Outwardly cheerful, she hides a great sadness from her past. She's hot-headed, so when she pulls out her explosive Tonfa Blasters, bad guys watch out!

MUSICA: Leader of the Silver Rhythm Gang. An orphan whose family was slaughtered when he was a baby, Musica became a street-fighting petty thief, but he has a good heart.

PLUE: The Rave Bearer. Plue is supposed to be Haru's guide to finding the Rave Stones, but so far he's just gotten him in and out of trouble. No one knows exactly what Plue is, but he seems to have healing abilities and is smarter than your average...whatever he is.

GRIFF: Don't even ask what this thing is. His full name is Griffon Kato, but he just goes by Griff. He works as a cart driver and is hired to transport Haru and friends across the Continent of Song. His body can stretch like rubber and he's got a crush on Elie.

LASAGNA & CHINO: Lasagna runs the hotel in Elie Village where Haru and Elie stayed. Chino is her son, who, because of the constant rain, has never seen a sunny day.

FIVE
HIRO → MASHIMA!!
HA HA HA
YEAH!
PLIE

PUUN
HURRY, PLUE!
HOPE ELIF IS ALL RIGHT.
OH MAN. THIS GONNA BE BAD
ドン ドン
SO THIS IS THE THUNDER MAN'S MANSION
雷館

ROOM-MATE

PITCH BLACK!
LIGHTS!!

SO NICE OF YOU TO COME BOY
Name
DEMON CAKU
GO
BOY
YOU'RE NOT A BOY!

MY MISTAKE
HEARD TAKE THAT WAS TIMING BUT ASSUMED IT WOULD BE A BOY
HUH?
ALL RIGHT LET'S GET TIMING TOGETHER ALL THE LIGHTS HAVE TO GET REAL

ALL RIGHT! CUT THE LIGHTS! TAKE 2!
LIGHTS ARE STANDING BY

NO!

LIGHTS!

HUH?
HEY. WHO SAID YOU COULD LEAVE?
SURPRISE SIS! I'LL TOO COME GIRL
SORRY THINK I'VE GOT THE WRONG GUY
DON'T PLAY DUMB WITH ME
LITTLE GIRL!!

I HAVE STILL NO MATCH FOR MY FIST
ボコーン
THERE
BUT
WHOA THERE C'MON JUST OPEN THE DOOR
I'M SORRY I'LL LEAVE YOU ALONE NOW
おおー
I'VE GOT THE WRONG GUY
I TOLD YOU!
Droop
CAN I GO NOW?

THUNDER-GUY. BUT THAT'S WHAT IT'S
I THOUGHT THE THUNDER-GUY LIVED HERE BUT I WAS WRONG
A BETTER LOOKING GUY THAN ME-
HOW COULD THERE BE.
WHAT?
THE GUY I'M LOOKING FOR IS A BIT MORE HANDSOME THAN YOU
THE NERVE
ARE YOU CALLING ME UGLY?
YAAH!
MOVE IT!

TAKE THIS! FISTS OF FURY!

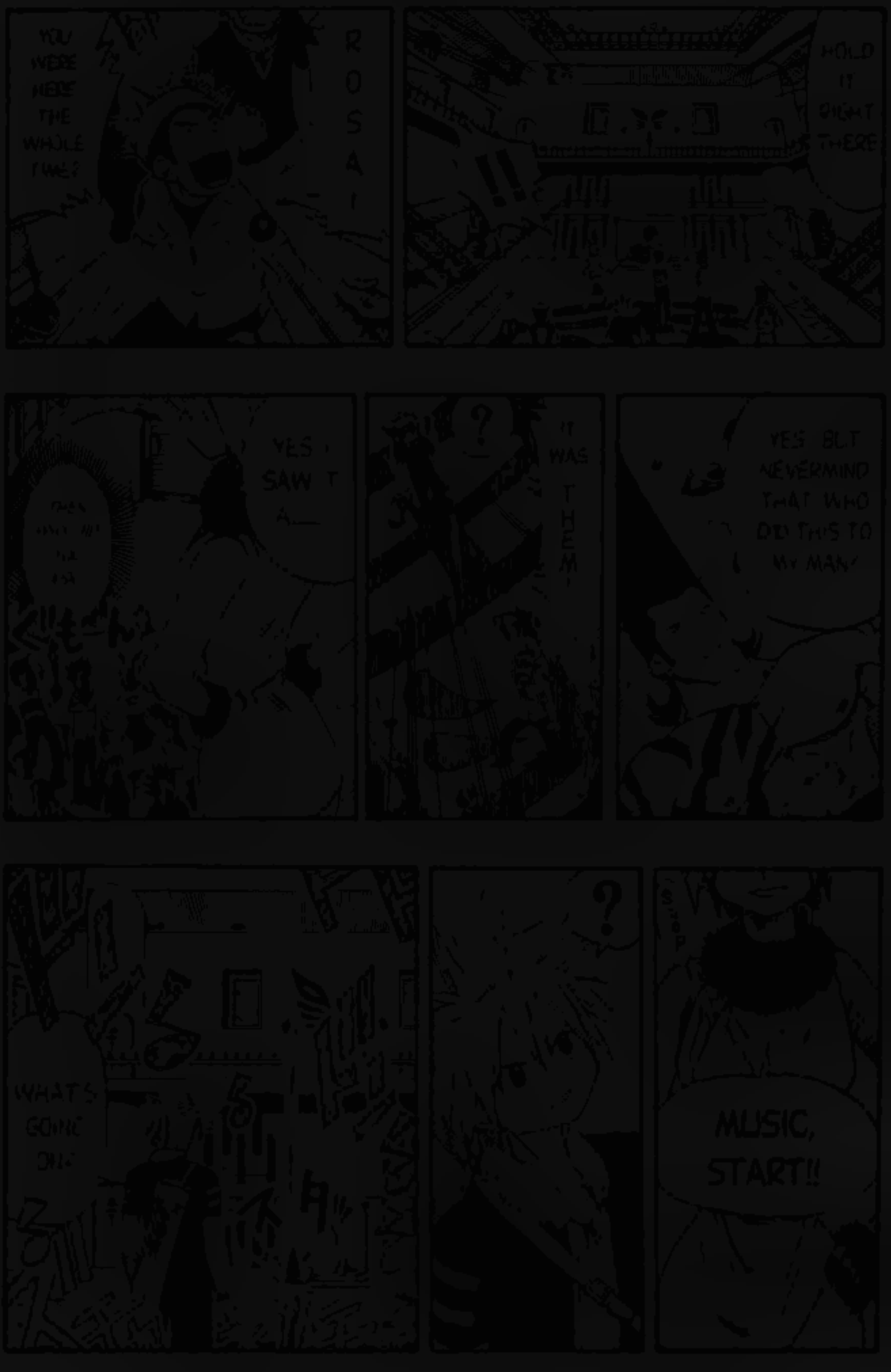
AND YOU'LL BE NEXT!
LOOK!
THERE'S GOTTA BE ANOTHER WAY OUT
HUFF
HUFF
HUFF
SO JUST DARE ATTACK ME LIKE
あぁー
...ER... I'LL...D SOMEONE WANTS JUST TRACTSE DO THAT?

WHAT'S GOIN ON
SHIN GOKEN
HAAAAAA
ゴゴゴゴ
ゴゴゴゴ

ドカーン
おおおおおおおおお…
AND BREAK THROUGH THE SPECIAL DOOR!!
WHAT COULD SEND GO FLYING..

WHERE'S ELIE?
DID Y'IL FINISH YOUR BUSINESS WITH THE THUNDER CLEEK.
A FREW OF THE RAVE MASTER GUESS
WHO'S THAT
WHEW! YOURE SAFE
RIGHT HERE
I'VE GOT SOME BUSINESS TO TAKE CARE OF..
WITH THESE FOLKS
ONE SEC

COME OUT HERE, N O W !
WHO'S THE THUNDER-DUDE?
WE SHOULD FINISH HIM OFF
MAN HOW COCKY S THAT DUDE
?
HUH?


YOU WERE HERE THE WHOLE TIME?
ROSA!
HOLD IT RIGHT THERE
YES I SAW IT
IT WAS THEM
YES BUT NEVERMIND THAT WHO DID THIS TO MY MAN!
WHAT'S GOING ON!
MUSIC, START!!

DANCE UNTIL YOU DIE
IT'S DANCE TIME!
THAT'S RIGHT
!!
Demon Card
Go's Girlfriend
ROSA
MY BODY..
HEH HEH HEH
WHAT'S HAPPENING?
WH WHAA? AUGHH..

Y-YOU THINK SO?
B-BUT YOU LOOK COOL!
IT'S GROOVIN' ALL ON ITS OWN?!
SO IT ONLY WORKS ON DUDES HUH?
MUSIC, STOP!
WHICH ONE ARE YOU?
PUUN
SO YOU'RE A GUY?
YOU TOO, PLUE?

MAN I'M BEAT OUTTA MY FUCKERED MIND IN AMONG MY OWNIVERSE THANG
PHEW
HUFF!
HUFF
HUFF
YOU'RE THE THUNDER-DUDE'S LADY FRIEND EH?
MEH HEH WHOOPS SORRY ABOUT THAT
ROSA!! HAVE MERCY! ARE YOU TRYING TO KILL US?!
YOU GOT SOMETHING TO SAY TO GO? YOU CAN SAY IT TO ME.
THAT'S RIGHT

?
THE RAIN

MAKE IT STOP NOW!

YOU CAN'T OR YOU WON'T?
!!
CAN'T
THAT

IT'S FOR OUR MOVIE!
HE MAY NOT LOOK FIT FOR A DIRECTOR
HUH?
BUT CAN'T YOU DO SOMEWHERE ELSE?
THAT'S WHEN HE DECIDED TO SHOOT THE WHOLE FILM IN THE RAIN.
IT'LL ROCK THE WHOLE WORLD OF CINEMA
I'M GOING TO BE THE STAR OF HIS NEXT MOVIE AND HE TOLD ME THE RAIN REALLY SUITS ME

SHUT UP
WHAT ARE YOU GUYS THINKING?
!!
DON'T YOU HAVE A HEART?
ALL OF THE FOLKS IN THIS TOWN ARE MISERABLE BECAUSE OF YOU AND YOUR DUMB MOVIE!

IT'S FOR ART
DUH HEARTED SON
NEVER EVEN THOUGHT ABOUT THAT
DANCE UNTIL YOU DIE
MUSIC START
SNAP
THEN IT'S TIME FOR YOUR FINAL SCENE
ARE YOU FINISHED-
I'M SHUTTIN' THIS SET DOWN!
HA HA HA HA HA!
AW SNAP I CAN'T HELP BUT SHAKE IT

HUM-
SO THAT JUST LEAVES YOU AND ME
ALL OF THE MEN ARE DANCING

MES

HUUUUH?
LET'S RUMBLE, RAVE MASTER!

NO!!!
I'M A RAVE MASTER MARU-

YOU'RE MU?
WHAT

IT'S UP TO ELE WE'RE DOOMED ELE

NOW THAT YOUR SHINING KNIGHT CAN'T PROTECT YOU, YOU'RE GOING DOWN

SHE'S ACTUALLY VERY POWERFUL
PUUN

RAVE MASTER
UH UH. I'M NOT FIGHTING.

...FOR ME TO FINISH YOU!
THEN IT WILL BE EVEN EASIER
MAN YOU ARE ONE CLUELESS CHICK
OH HOW TOUCHING- TRYING TO PROTECT YOUR GIRL
THAT'S NOT IT!
LEAVE HER OUT OF IT!
WAIT! I'M THE RAVE MASTER!
AAAAH! HOLD IT!
SHUT UP! PREPARE YOUR- SELF!

WHAT
UGH
WHAT DID I EVER DO TO YOU?
WHOA!!

UGH...

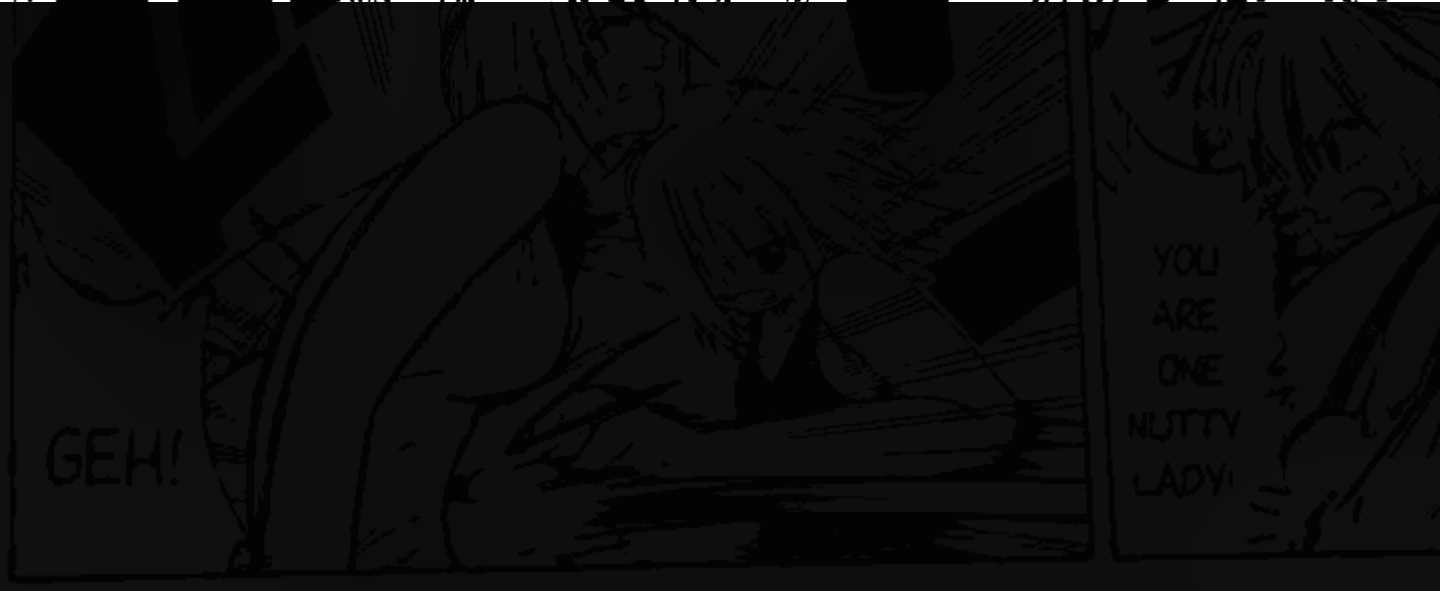
HEH
HEH
HEH
ELIE
!!

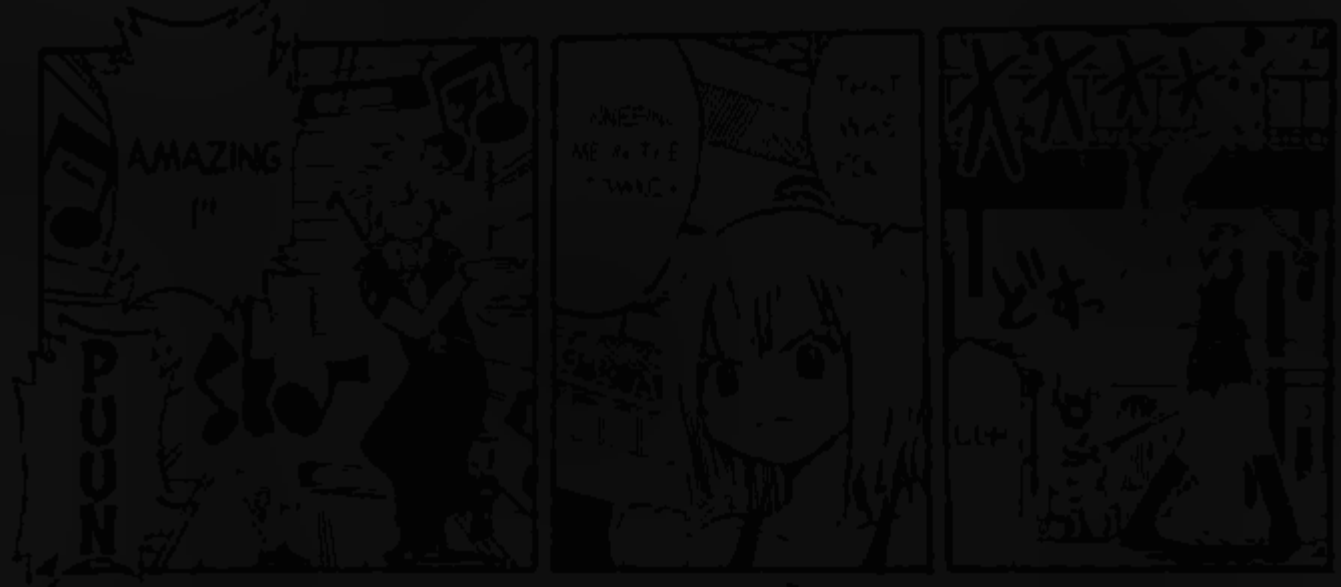
YOU'RE GOIN' DOWN!
NOW I'M MAD!
!!

IT MAKES ME SICK!
BRING IT!
YOU REALLY TOO MUCH ON MEN

WHAT? AND YOU DON'T LEAN ON YOUR BOYFRIEND?

OH. COME ON! ARE YOU FREAKIN' BLIND?


GEH!
YOU ARE ONE NUTTY LADY!


AMAZING !!
PUUN
Sky

DON'T COUNT ME OUT JUST YET!
GAH

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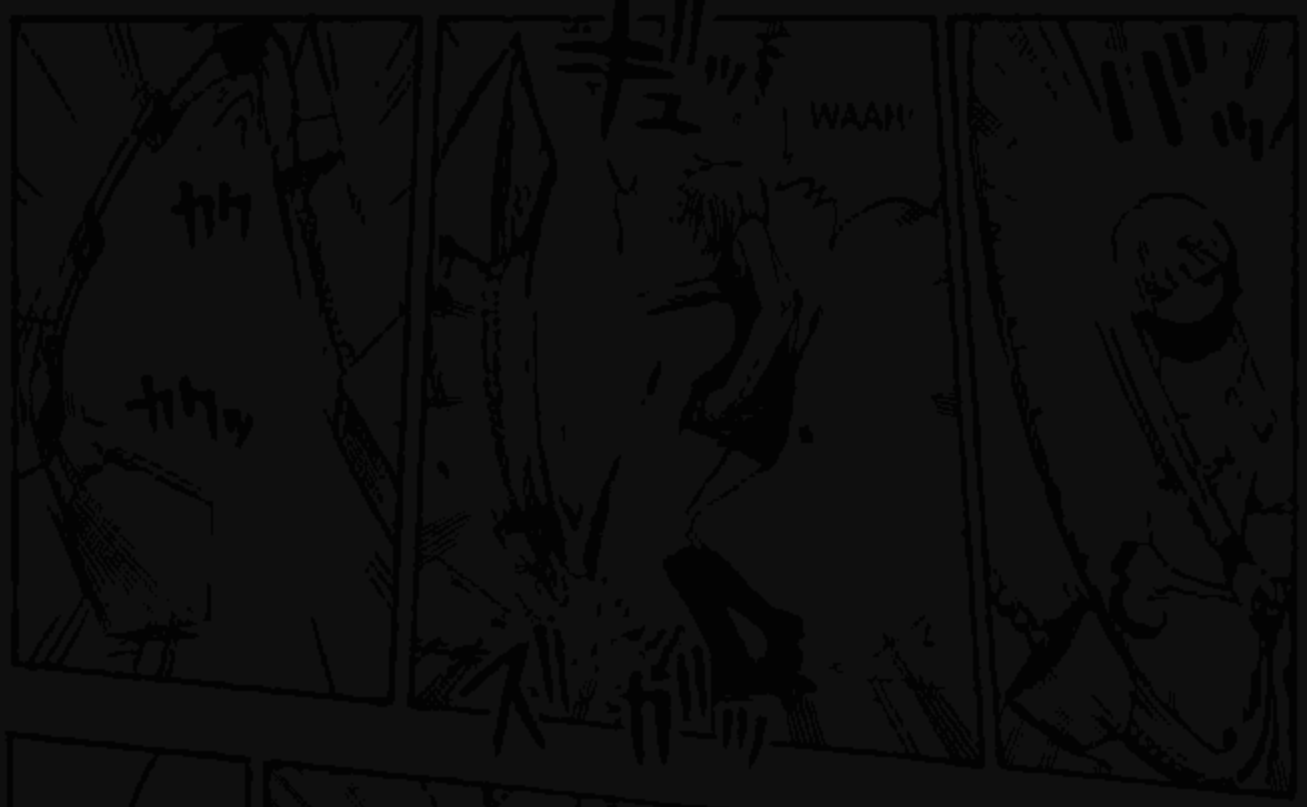
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WAAH!

WHAT
THE-?

OW!
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AAAUUUGH!
ドガガガ
ドガガガ
ドガガガ
MY DANCING WOLF SWORD NEVER MISSES A BEAT
WAAH!
WHAT THE HECK IS THAT THING!

EJIE! WATCH OUT!
AGH!!
COULD THAT BE THE EXPLOSION WE HEARD ABOUT
EXPLODED

YES!
オオオ
VE LOST CONTROL
<3333.
WHOA! COOL!
ELIE DID IT!
TRAITOR!
AND IT'S HEADED RIGHT FOR ME!
ドス

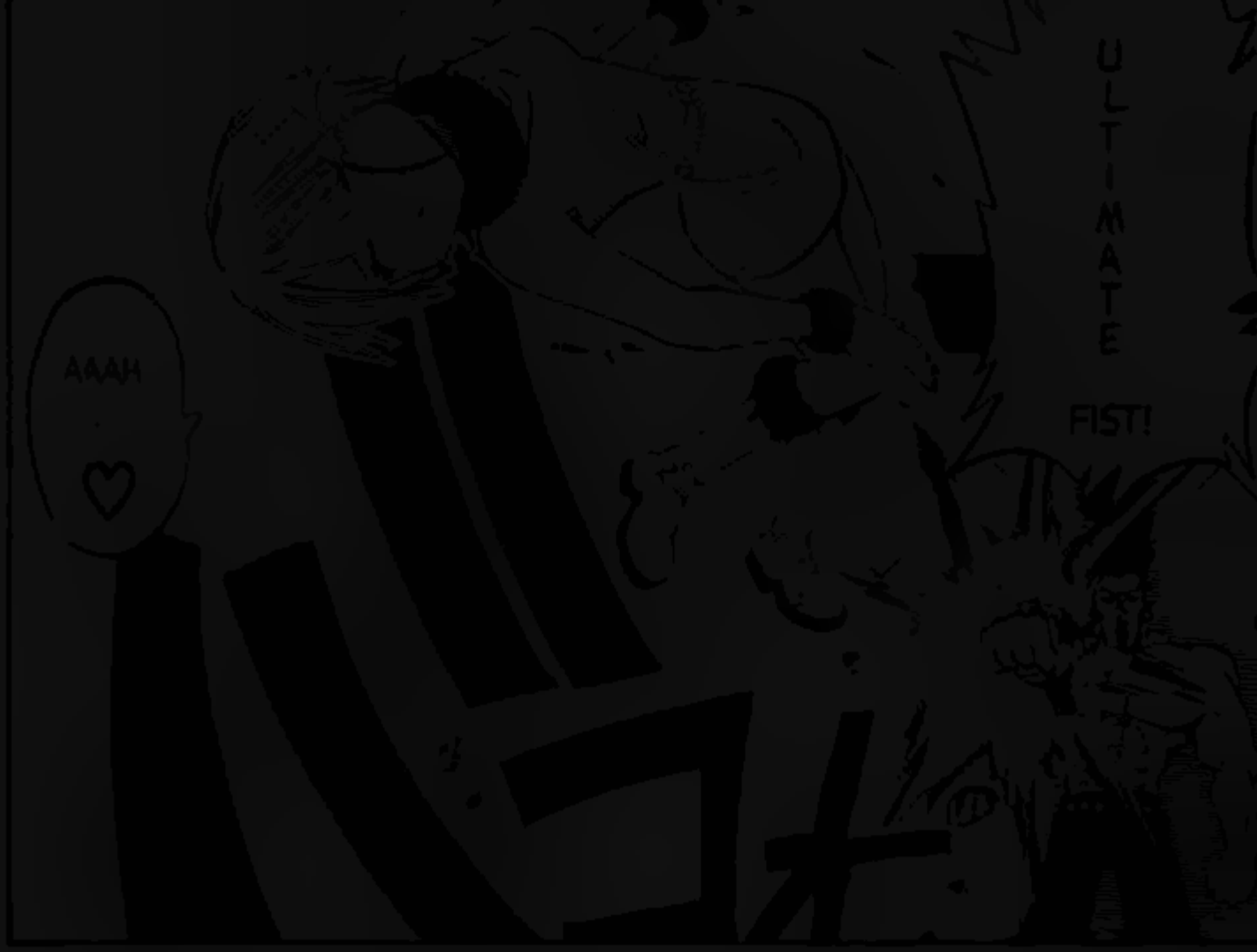
YEAH OH!
NOT MY FACE! IF I LOSE MY LOOKS MY CAREER IS OVER!
SOMEBODY HELP ME!
PLEASE SOMEBODY HELP ME!
AAAUGH
YEAH OUH
PUUN
NOOOOO!

ぐいっ
LOG...
ガシャン

DON'T KNOW ABOUT THAT
WE'RE SAVED!
HEY THE MUSIC STOPPED
?
WHY
I KNOW I WOULDN'T WANT THAT TO HAPPEN TO MY FACE!
AND I KNOW HOW IMPORTANT LOOKS CAN BE FOR AN ACTRESS!

BEFORE WE GET BACK TO FIGHTING MIND IF I ASK YOU SOMETHING?
THAT'S ENOUGH.
AND THE RAIN MADE MY HAIR ALL FRIZZY
AND THE RAIN AND THUNDER
SO IF I WIN WILL YOU STOP IT?
YOU'RE THE ONE MAKING IT RAIN RIGHT?
I CAN'T KEEP GOING WITHOUT A WEAPON YOU REALLY ARE A RAVE MASTER
I'VE LOST
I'VE LOST
WHAT
ME
BUT I'M NOT THE RAVE MASTER HE'S

I'M SURE IF I ASK SO ME... STOP IT FOR ME
YOU MEAN YOU'LL DO IT?
HOW ABOUT THAT RAIN
WHAT ABOUT YOUR MOVIE?
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING, ROSA?
WAKE UP (!) WE NEED TO
HUH?
GOKE!


AAAH
ULTIMATE
FIST!

WATCH OUT!

WHOA!
...ONLY AS GOOD AS HER LOOKS
OH, MAN! ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
DUDE IT WAS YOU
NO! MY BEAUTIFUL ROSA! YOU! YOU DID THIS!
Y- YES, SIR!
ふぉおおお
BRING THE THUNDER
HOLD UP! YOU NEED TO LISTEN TO ME! YOUR GIRL SAID TO STOP THE PAIN!

I'M GOING TO RIP YOU UP.
YOU PATHETIC AMATEUR CAN'T YOU AD-LIB A BETTER EXCUSE THAN THAT?

GET UP

AW SNAP

HUH?

MERRY CHRISTMAS!!

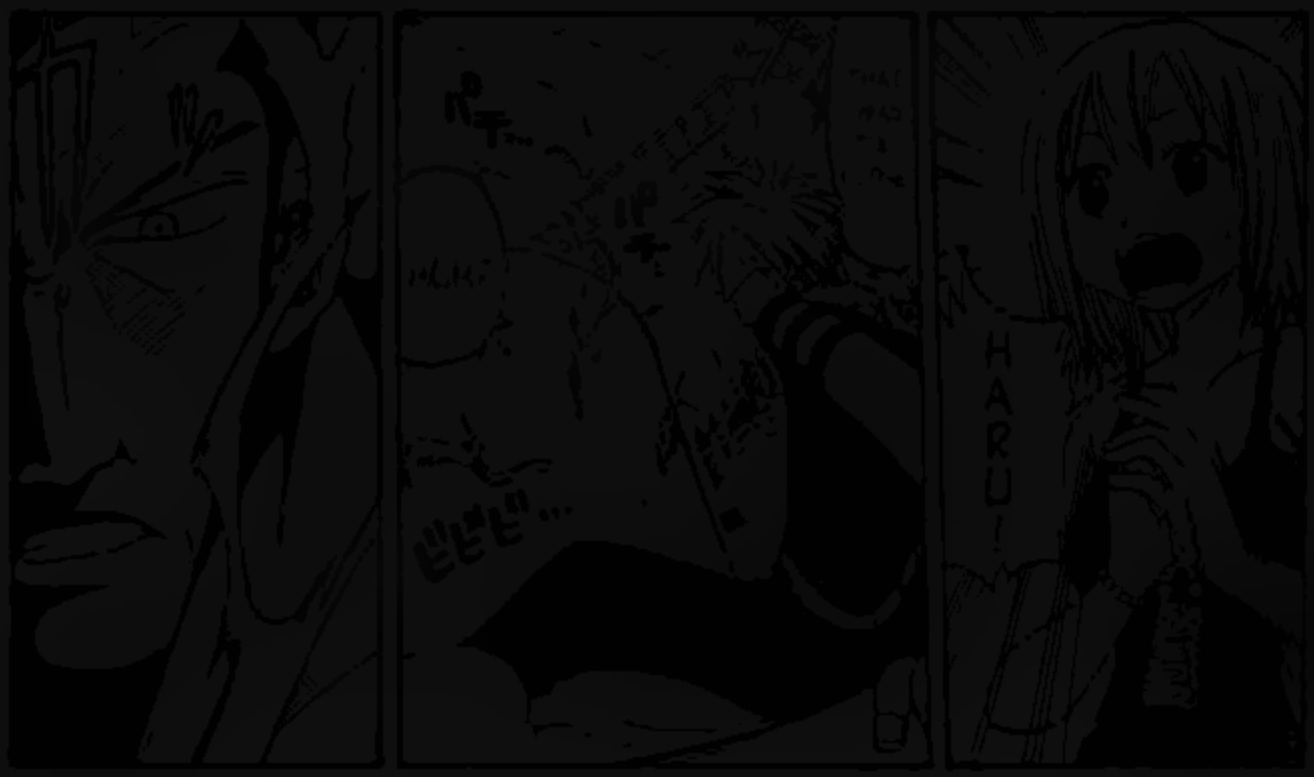
AFTER WHAT YOU DID TO MY PRIMA DONNA, YOU'RE GOING TO PAY!
YOU'RE A GONER.

HUH?
AMATEUR 'OU NEED TO SPEAK CLEARLY AND ENUNCIATE

H-HOLD UP! I CAN'T GO AT IT WITH YOU!

FINE

I'LL SHOW YOU HOW A PRO DOES IT!
WAAH!!!


HARU!

WAAAAAHHHHH!
HE DID IT!
ヒーロー

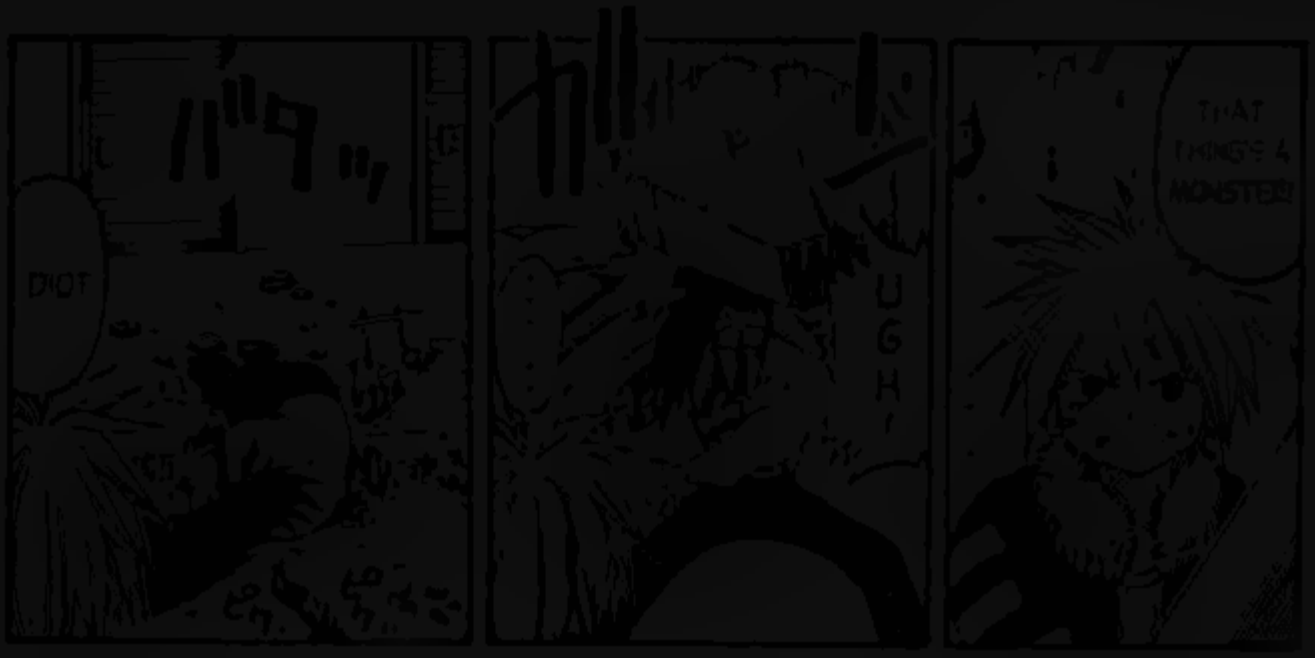
WITH THE WIELD THUNDER
NOW FINALLY GET IT MY AURA STANCE AN ANGRY BLITZ
THUNDER CRASH BOOM IN U
UUH I'M NUMB
OW
PUUN
HE'S A RAVE MASTER
HE'S NO PUNK KID
HOW DID THAT PUNK SURVIVE?
PUUN
PUUN
?
PU PUUN
I'M OKAY NOW
AW I'LL BE I JUST TRYING TO CHEER ME UP THAT'S SWEET
PUUN

THEN YOU'RE FINISHED
BUT MY HP! I CAN'T STAND
GET UP
LIGHTS CAMERA ACTION!
I CAN STAND !!!
WAHOOO!
WAH!
BUT SHOULDN'T HE JUST BLINK DESTROYED?
I WISH A WORKED LIKE THAT ELECTRIC THERAPY STUFF
NO WAY THE THUNDER HEALED HIM!
AH HAH!
?

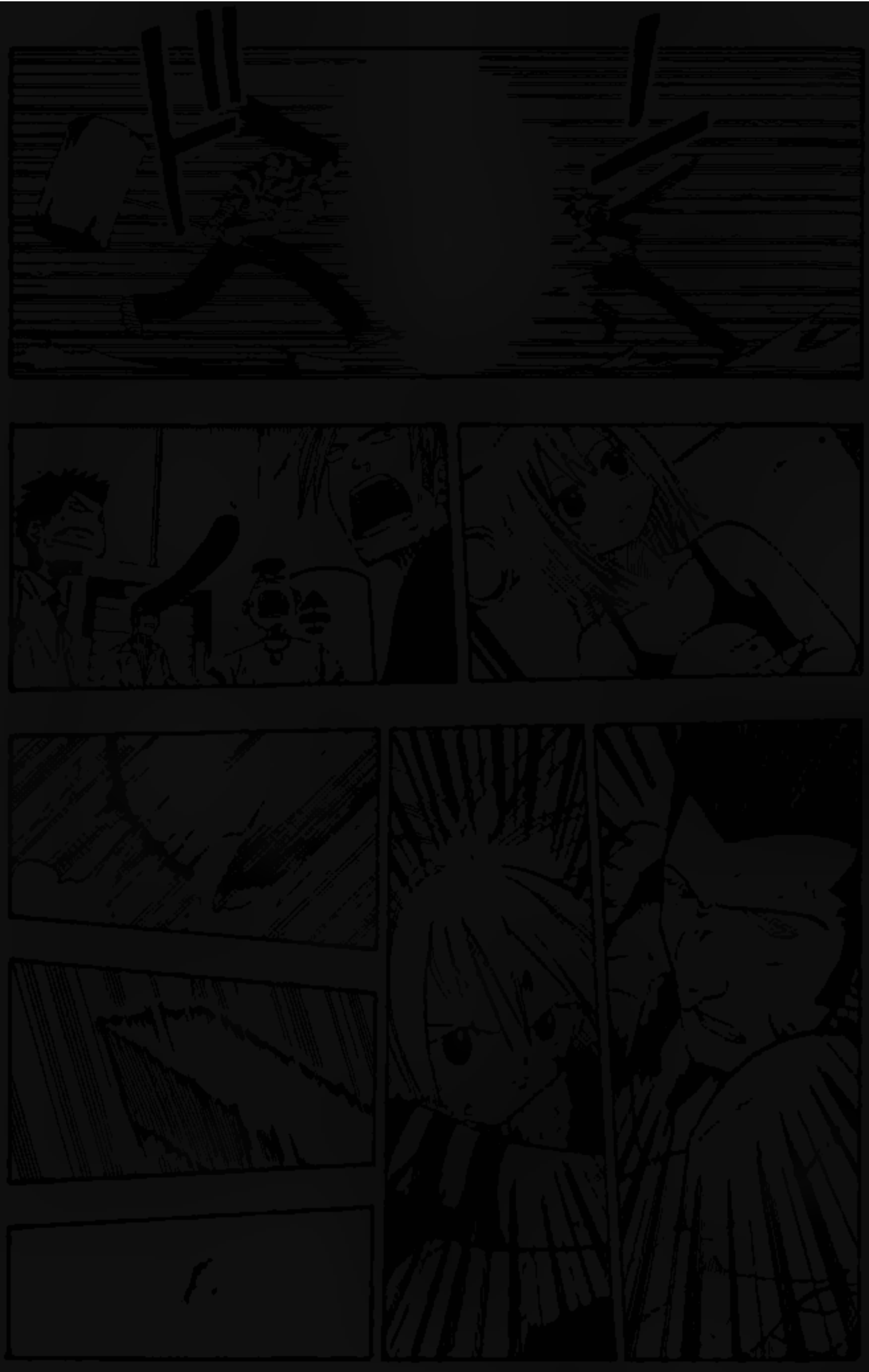
I'LL MAKE THIS FIGHT THE CLIMAX OF MY NEXT MOVIE
DUDE YOU'RE THE WEIRDO NOT ME
HEY CAMERA 2 MAKE SURE YOU GET EVERYTHING
YOU ARE ONE STRANGE KID
DON'T BE RIDICULOUS MORON
DIE FOR MY MOVIE!
REJECTED
!!
JUST STOP THE RAIN!
THIS FIGHT IS POINTLESS!

UGH!

LONG LIVE CINEMA!
WAHI


DIOT
UGH
THAT THING'S A MONSTER!

THIS IS POINTLESS
OH GIMME A BREAK
YOU'RE DEAD MEAT!
I'M NOT A CRITIC
STUPID CRITICS! THEY'RE ALL THE SAME
POINTLESS? YOU CALL A COOL ACTION SCENE LIKE THIS POINTLESS?
MAN YOU ARE DENSE
THAT'S IT YOU'RE GOING DOWN
BEST BOY? KEY GRIP?
THEN WHAT WOULD ALL YOU SH
LOLOLOL



THOUGHT SO! GO S STRONGER!
GAAH
...

WELL THEN...
EXPLOSION!
!!
ゴバオオオ!
GEH
!!
HMPF!

UGH!
SUPER
EXPLOSION!
UGH!

ULTRA THUNDER FIST OF DOOM!
WAAAAH!

YAAH

WHAT?! HOW DID HE DODGE THAT?

WHO IS THIS KID?

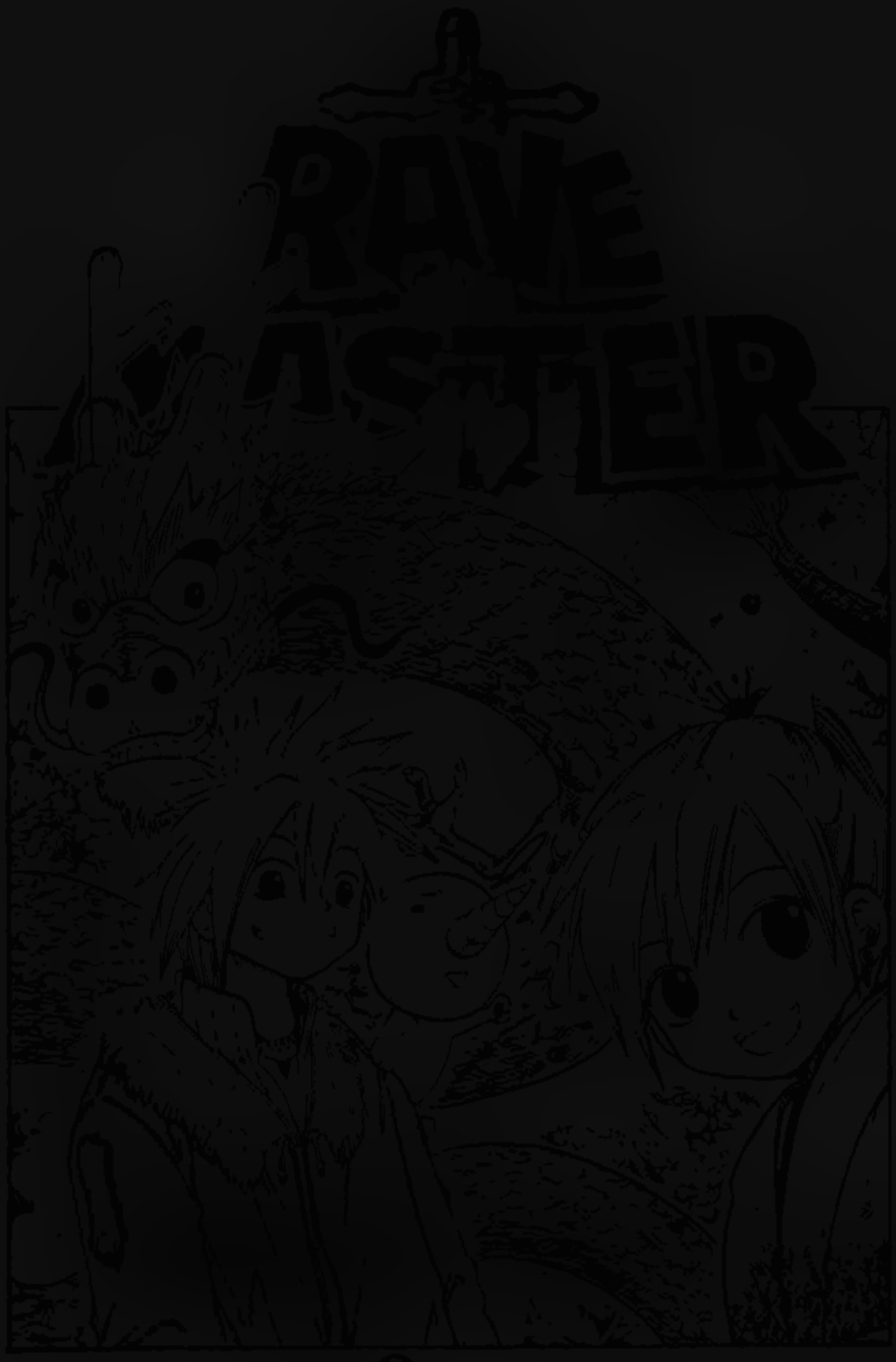
THUNDER

!!!
NOOOO!!
AN ALIEN!
AAAAH!!
PLUE!!

YOU STILL WON'T BEAT ME!
WHAT THE?!
PUUN
AH!
CUT!
STOP
WHA-?!
I THOUGHT THAT ONLY RAVE COULD BREAK IT
HE DESTROYED THE DAIS BEING

NOW
BAKUGEKI
DANCE
EXPLOSION!
!!!
DON'T
TOO.
THAT
WAS A
CUT!
STOP!
STOP
THE
CAMERA!
CUT
!!

UGGH
AM I
ズニィィ
STAR
IF THEY
GAVE
OSCARS FOR
HAM ACTING
YOU'D
TOTALLY
WIN



RAVE:25 Gentle Sunlight

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EEEK!
OH, THE HUMANITY!
DUDE NO WAY! HE BEAT GO!

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EEEK
!
WHY NOT.
THE RAIN SNT STOPPING

G-GO!

!
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ROSA! WAKE UP!

YOUR FACE IT'S OKAY NOW.
OOOH ROSA.

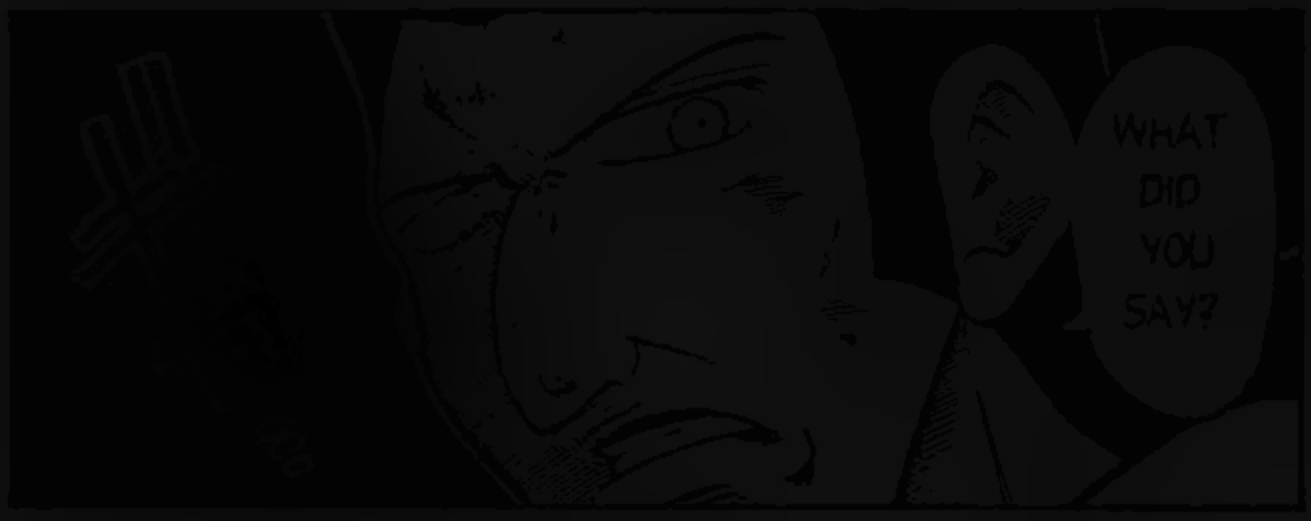
SNAP OUT OF IT! WAKE UP!
ALIGH!

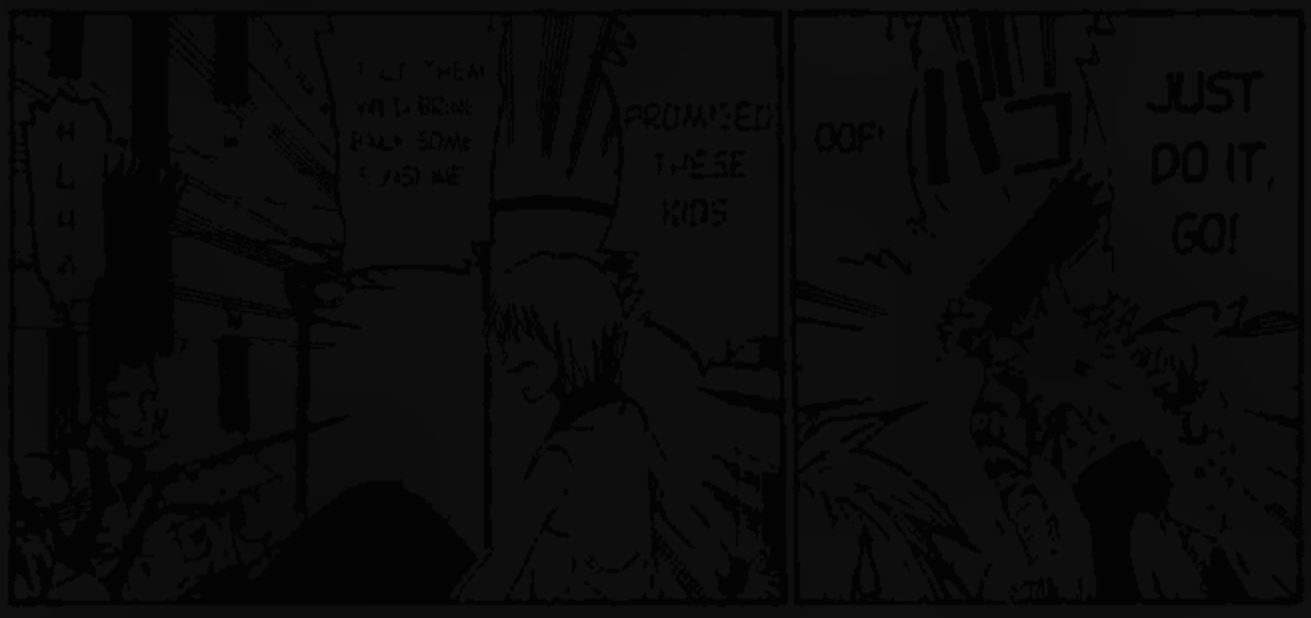
YEAH

WAA!
NO!!
NO THANKS TO YOU!

I'LL NEVER FORGIVE YOU
YOU HIT MY PRETTY FACE!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN, BOSS? WHAT THE HECK'S YOUR PROBLEM?

DON'T CARE HOW YOU DO IT JUST STOP THE PAIN OKAY.
UM... GUYS...
YOU DID, TOO!
I HIT YOUR FACE! YOU'RE CRAZY!


WHAT DID YOU SAY?


PROMISED THESE KIDS
OOF!
JUST DO IT, GO!

?
OKAY OKAY FOR YOU BOSS
HMM
WELL GET TO IT TURN THE THING OFF
IT WAS BECAUSE OF A MACHINE!

WHOSE BRILLIANT BRAINCHILD WAS THAT?
WHAT?
I DUNNO EVERY BUTTON EXCEPT THE "OFF" BUTTON TRIGGERS A SELF DESTRUCT
WELL WHAT NOW?
WELL, HE HASN'T USED IT IN 5 YEARS
Beep
PUUN
LET'S SEE THERE ARE SIX BUTTONS AND ALL ONE OF THEM IS THE OFF BUTTON
DON'T WORRY I'M SURE I REMEMBER
お-A-A-A-A-U-G-H-H-U-U-!
DID YOU JUST START TO SAY HE'S AN INSECT?
PUUN'S NOT AN ALIEN! HE'S AN IN- I MEAN A DOG!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING, ALIEN!!!
PUUN

THE MACHINE DIDN'T EXPLODE BUT IT LOOKS LIKE HE WAS LUCKY ENOUGH TO PUSH THE OFF BUTTON
ANYWAY WHAT ABOUT THE RAIN?
PUUN!
AWRIGHT!
WELL THEN BYE-BYE!
BYE BYE!
HOLD IT!
!!

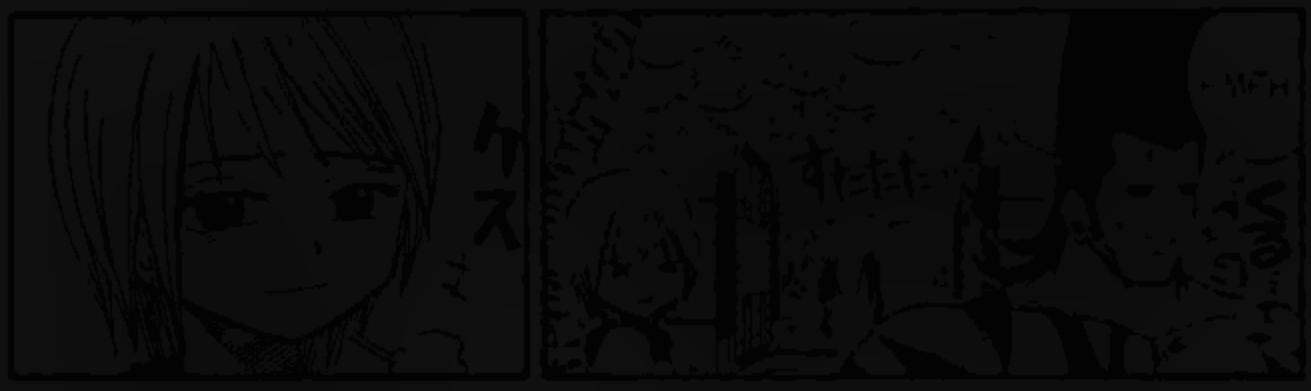
YAH!

THE PERSON I'LL BE LOOKING FOR.
IS THIS

I DO NOT WAN TO MESS WITH THIS
YEAH I'VE HEARD HE'S THE BLOND GREATEST GUY AROUND AFTER ME
WHOA HE LOOKS COOL

HE CAN CONTROL FIRE WATER AND EARTH AT W—
CREATING THUNDER WITH HIS POWER
NO ONE KNOWS ANYTHING ABOUT HIM OTHER THAN THE VICIOUS RUMORS THAT FLOAT AROUND
HE'S AN ELEMENTAL MASTER.
WELL THANKS ANYWAY!
ALRIGHT NOW GET OUT OF HERE
ELEMENTAL MASTER? WHAT DOES IT MEAN
Ha!
I SEE

LIKEWISE, DUDE!
DON'T WANT TO SEE YOU EVER AGAIN!



そおおおお!
YEAH!!

Ha Ha Ha
Ha Ha Ha
Ha Ha

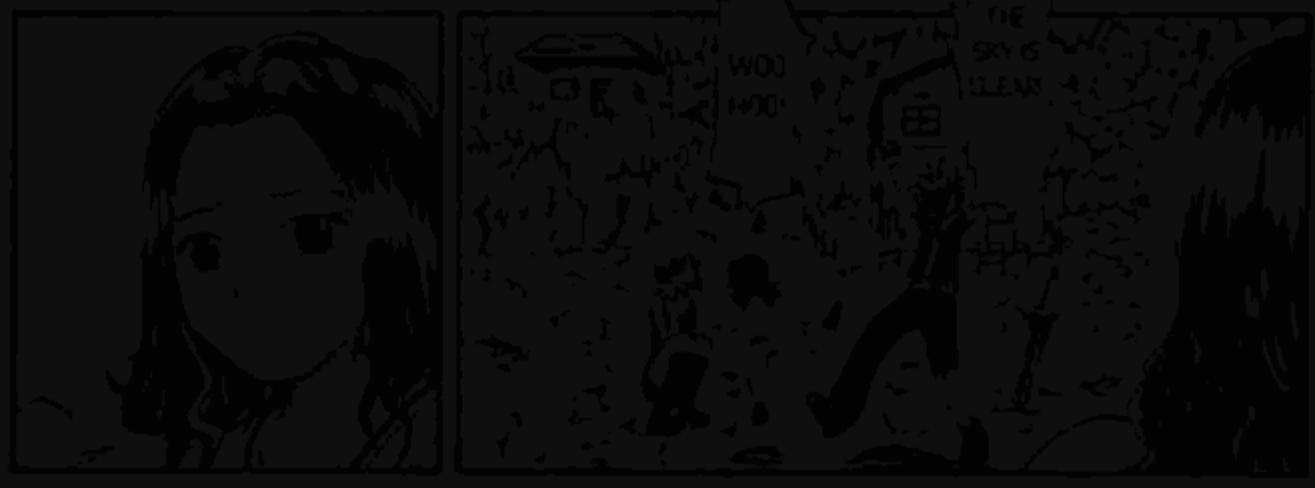
HE LAUGHED.

HU
HARU!
AH!

HEH HEH
I GUESS SO
YOU BEAT THE THUNDER-MAN, DIDN'T YOU?!

WOW! YOU'RE STRONG!
SURE BUT YOU HAVE TO TRAIN EVERY DAY!
THAT'S RIGHT I WILL PRACTICES WITH HIS SWORD EVERY DAY

NOW YOUR LAUNDRY WILL DRY!
YEAH THANK YOU
THIS IS GREAT
BYE


WOO HOO!
THE SKY IS CLEAR!

ELDER.
BLUE SKIES...
BYE!

THERE'S AS BEAUTIFUL AS THIS
THAT'S TRUE AND IT'S ALL THANKS TO THOSE KIDS

IT'S AMAZING ALL IT TAKES IS A CHEERFUL BLUE SKY AND THE GRAY DISAPPEARS FROM OUR HEARTS TOO

YES

LOOK! A RAINBOW
WOW
I'VE NEVER SEEN SUCH NICE WEATHER

YEAH
YEAH
YEAH
I'LL-WE'LL RETURN IT TO ITS FORMER GLORY
RUSA I'M GOING TO REBUILD THIS VILLAGE
NOW EVERYTHING'S CLEAR
I REALIZE WHAT A MESS WE MADE

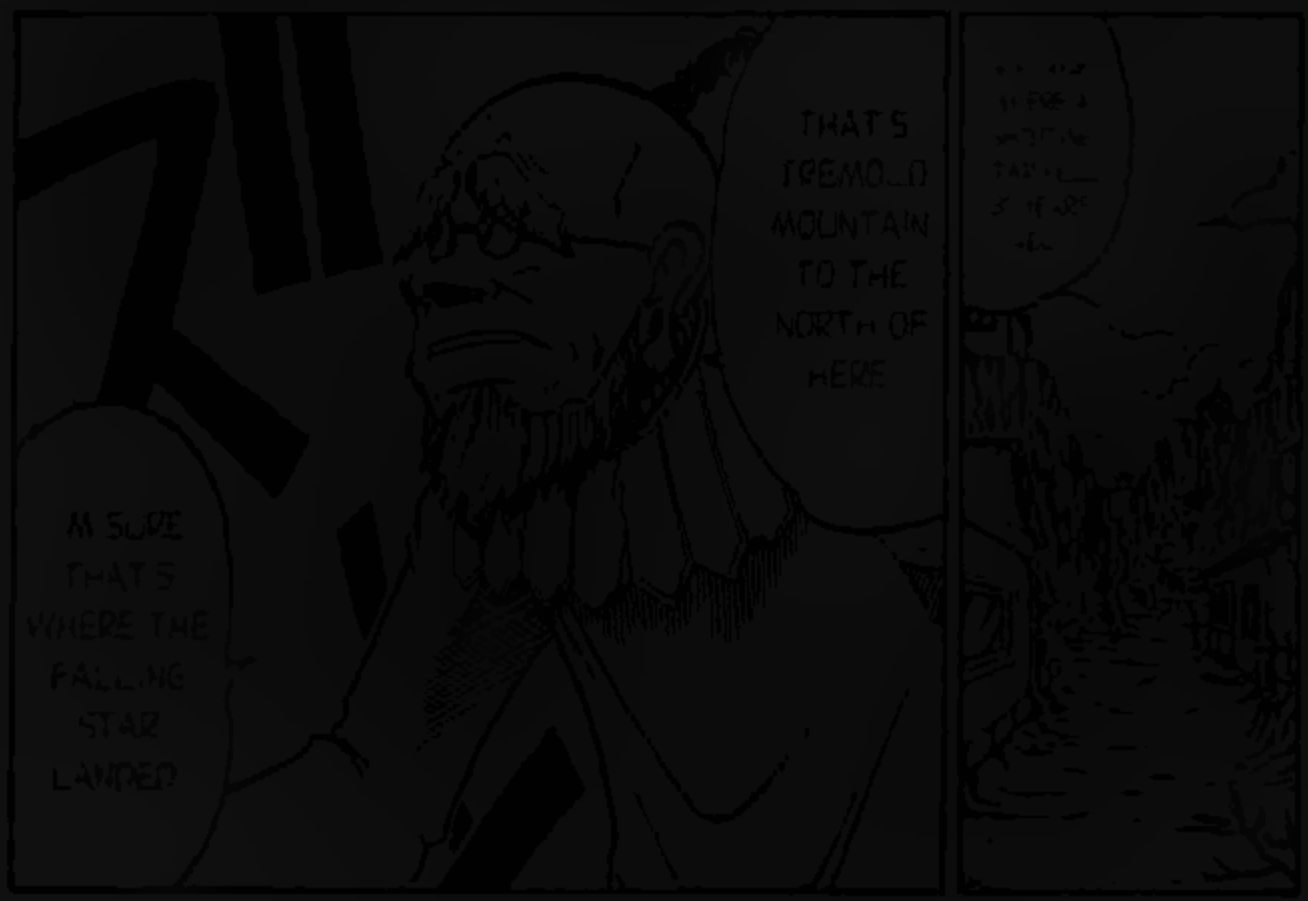
YEAH
THAT SO
SUYAMA
PRETTY NICE
HE EVEN
HAVE ME
THE GUY'S
PICTURE
DARK BRING
CORRUPTS
WHOEVER IT
TOUCHES
IT WAS
THE DARK
BRING THAT
TURNED
HIM
HEY
SIS!
GUESS
SO

Pupi
HE'S BEEN LIKE THAT FOR A WHILE. IS SOMETHING WRONG WITH HIM?

MAYBE BECAUSE OF THE SLEEPOVER
Pupi
MMM CUTE
LOOKS LIKE HE FELL ASLEEP

HA HAHA HAHA HA!
REALLY? HAHA HAHA HA!
HE'S LIKE A LITTLE KID

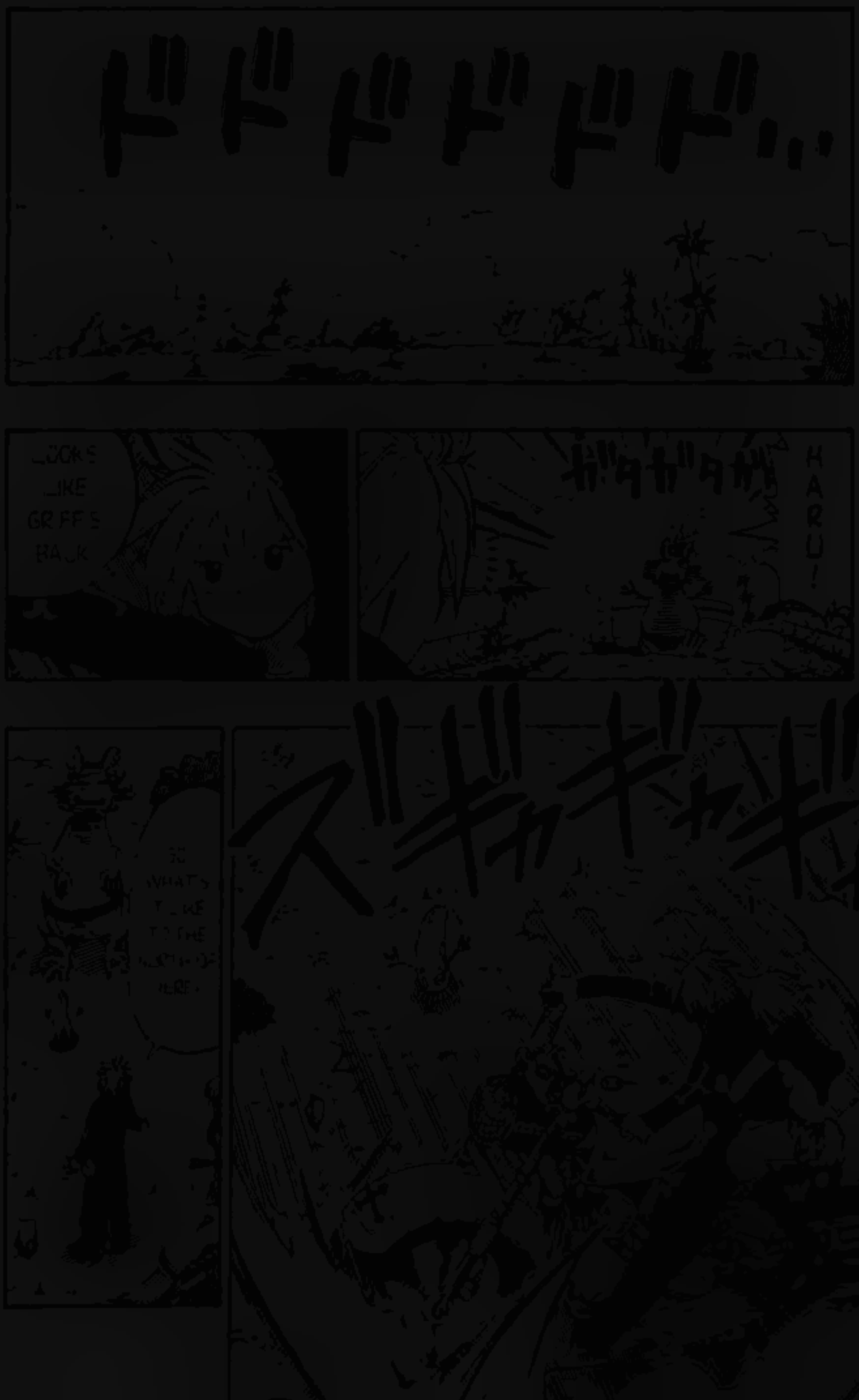
YEAH! I DIDN'T THINK WE'D FIND IT THIS EASILY!
THAT WAS FAST!


THAT'S TREMO...O MOUNTAIN TO THE NORTH OF HERE
I'M SURE THAT'S WHERE THE FALLING STAR LANDED

ALL RIGHT! WE'RE GONNA
LET'S ROCK!!

RAVE MASTER

RAVE:26 Viva la Labyrinth!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JOKE
LIKE
GRIFF
HACK
ガタガタガタ
HARU!
WHAT'S
TAKE
TO THE
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RIGHT ON!
IT SEEMS THAT YOUR STAR-ED RAVE IS SOMEWHERE DEEP INSIDE
FOR AS LONG AS PEOPLE CAN REMEMBER THERE'S BEEN A HUGE HOLE IN TREMOLO MOUNTAIN CALLED ANIMAL HALL
THE DEMON CARD ARMY IS ALREADY THERE TRYING TO EXCAVATE THE RAVE
DON'T GET TOO EXCITED JUST YET
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A LITTLE MORE TO THE RIGHT
WE'VE REACHED A DEPTH OF 2M M
DRILL
WE'RE RUNNING OUT OF DRILL BITS! NOTIFY HEADQUARTERS IMMEDIATELY
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(GAHHH)
BUMBLE
TREMOLO MOUNTAIN

Demon
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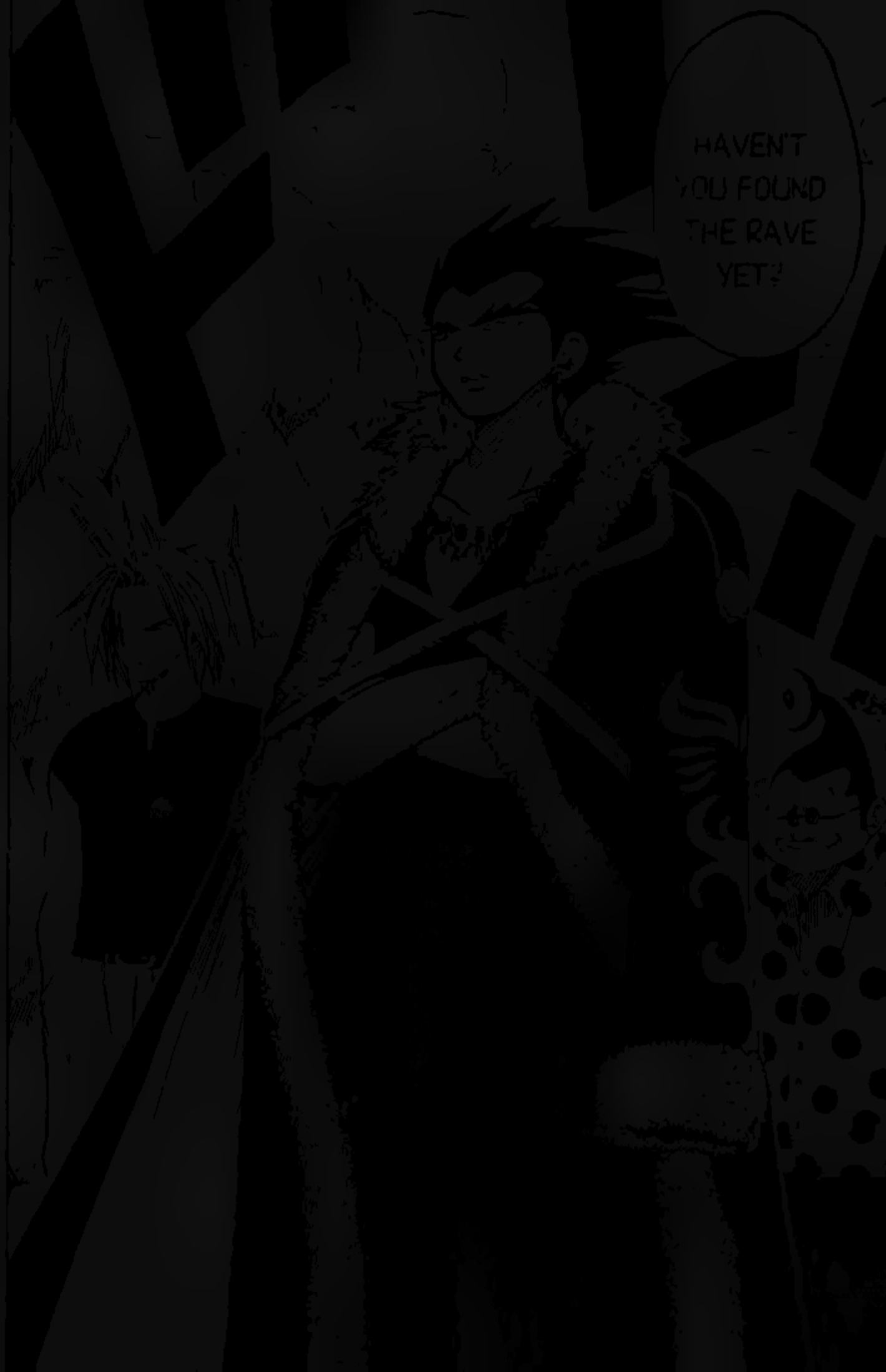
Army
TREMOLO MOUNTAIN
AKUMU HALL


HAVEN'T YOU FOUND THE RAVE YET?

EMERGENCY! THE RAVE MASTER IS HEADED THIS WAY!
AKUMU HALL IS MUCH BIGGER THAN WE FIRST THOUGHT
WE'RE VERY SORRY, MASTER SHUDA!
IT SHOULD AT LEAST STALL HIM
I SENT AN ASSASSIN AFTER HIM
NO WORRIES
I'LL BE WAITING FOR YOU HAJL
WHERE ARE YOU, RAVE MASTER?
MASTER!!

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WHAT DO WE DO
THERE ARE GHASTS EVERYWHERE IF WE TRY TO FORCE IT, WE'RE DOOMED
?
PUN
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MASTER PLLE!
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A BEAR ?

PUN

IT TALKED !!!!!
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WHO ARE YOU?

THAT'S NOT THE PROBLEM
IS IT BECAUSE I SMELL LIKE FISH?

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YEP FOR THE LAST 50 YEARS

I AM KUMA.
MAYBE WE SHOULD SHAKE HANDS

NOW? MY TURN. WHY ARE YOU HERE?

WON'T LET THEM HAVE IT
BUT I HAVE TO FIND IT
LOOKS LIKE YOU'VE BEEN BEAT TO THE PUNCH
SOMEWHERE WITHIN
WE'RE LOOKING FOR SOME TRACE
THERE'S NO GUARANTEE YOU'LL COME OUT ALIVE
FORGET IT IT'S HUGE, AND THE TUNNELS ARE LIKE A MAZE
WHY NOT?
OH COME ON, I'M TOUGHER THAN YOU THINK
I'LL BE FINE
YOU'LL NEVER MAKE IT OUT ALIVE
YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE GETTING INTO
AN NIGHTMARE
YEAH
WELL FIGURE IT OUT DON'T

I PROMISED MY SISTER
...
...I'D COME BACK SAFE.

THEY SAW YOU NO CHOICE THEN
LET'S DO IT
BEAR! THERE'S A BEAR UP THERE!
THERE'S TOO EASY
SURE WE DO! THERE'S ONLY A FEW OF 'EM
USE YOUR HEAD! WE HAVE TO GET OUT OF HERE WE DON'T STAND A CHANCE HERE
WHA- HEY WHAT'RE YOU DOING
THREE PEOPLE
THERE'RE ONLY THREE OF 'EM CHASING AFTER US RIGHT NOW WE CAN TAKE 'EM OUT ONCE WE'RE FAR ENOUGH FROM THE MAIN TROOPS
GET IT
CRASH BASH
YES SIR!
ANY BEAR COULD GET IN THE WAY OF OUR SEARCH TAKE HIM OUT

?
I HAVE A BRILLIANT IDEA!
HARU, KNOCK THEM OUT
I GET IT! BRAINS AND BEAUTY! ELIE, YOU'RE AMAZING!

IT SHOULD BE A CINCH TO LIFT IT NOW
TA-DA!
BUT YOU'RE ON THE OTHER HAND
NICE THINKING, E_IE!
ALL RIGHT LET'S ROLL
ELMA, YOU'RE NOT PLAY
PLEASE AND RIGHT ARE WITH US

!!
AND WHERE IS THE OTHER FIXER WHO WENT
YOU'RE BACK. WHAT ABOUT THE BEAR. DIDN'T HEAR ANY GUNSHOTS
THEY'RE ON TO US
YOU AREN'T THE MEN I'VE SENT AFTER THE BEAR
WEREN'T YOU TOLD NOT TO LEAVE YOUR POST?
WHAT UNIT ARE YOU FROM. WHAT ARE YOUR ORDERS.
ACTUALLY WE'RE MAKING A DELIVERY, SIR

CATERERS
HUH- WELL
THEN GO ON
AN EMP
WE'RE
CATERERS
THEN
WE
BETTER
GO ON
IN

YOU'RE
HERE
...

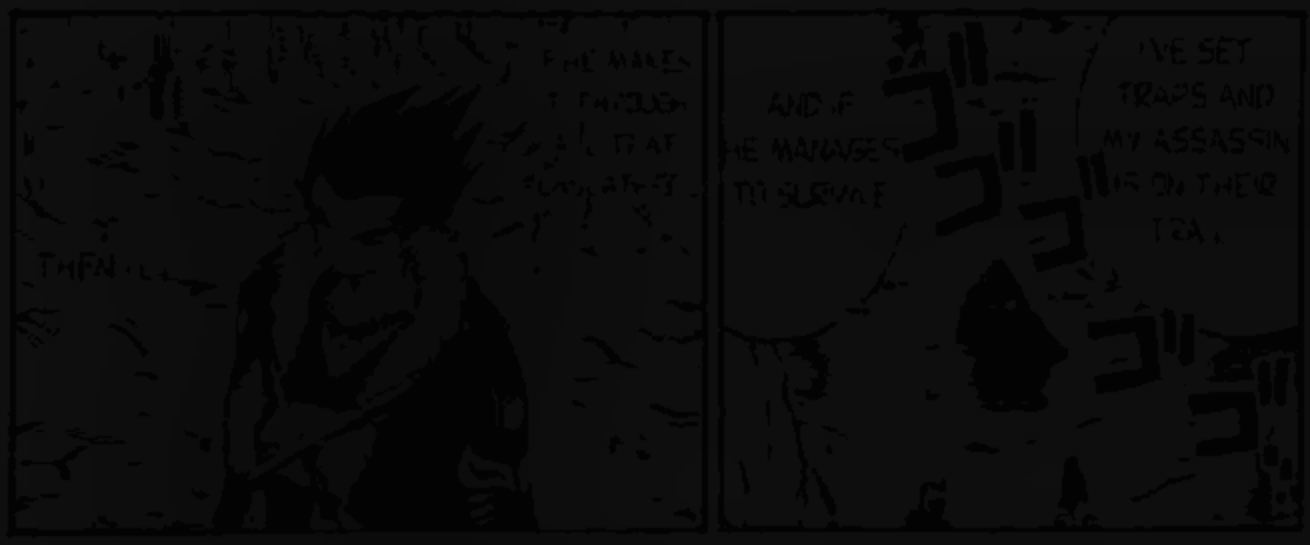
RAVE
MASTER

AKUMU-HALL

SO FAR SO GOOD BUT THE PLACE IS STILL FULL OF DEMON CARD GOONS
WE DID IT! INFILTRATION SUCCESSFUL!

BUT STILL
DON'T WORRY! THEY'LL NEVER RECOGNIZE US DRESSED LIKE THIS
A LOT
ELIE YOU'RE NUTS
WELL, LET'S SEE HOW DEEP IN WE CAN GET

DOESN'T MATTER
WHAT ARE THOSE GATE GUARDS DOING ANYWAY?
WHAT? THE HAVE MASTER IS IN KUMU HA...
BUT THEY... SOON RUN INTO A FEW MORE...
EXPECTED THEM TO MAKE IT THIS FAR


IF HE MAKES IT THROUGH IT AT
THEN
AND IF HE MANAGES TO SURVIVE
I'VE SET TRAPS AND MY ASSASSIN IS ON THEIR TAIL.
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..JUST DEAL WITH HIM MYSELF

LET'S SEE HOW
HARU GLORY
ASSASSIN
THING
IS SOMETHING WRONG MASTER
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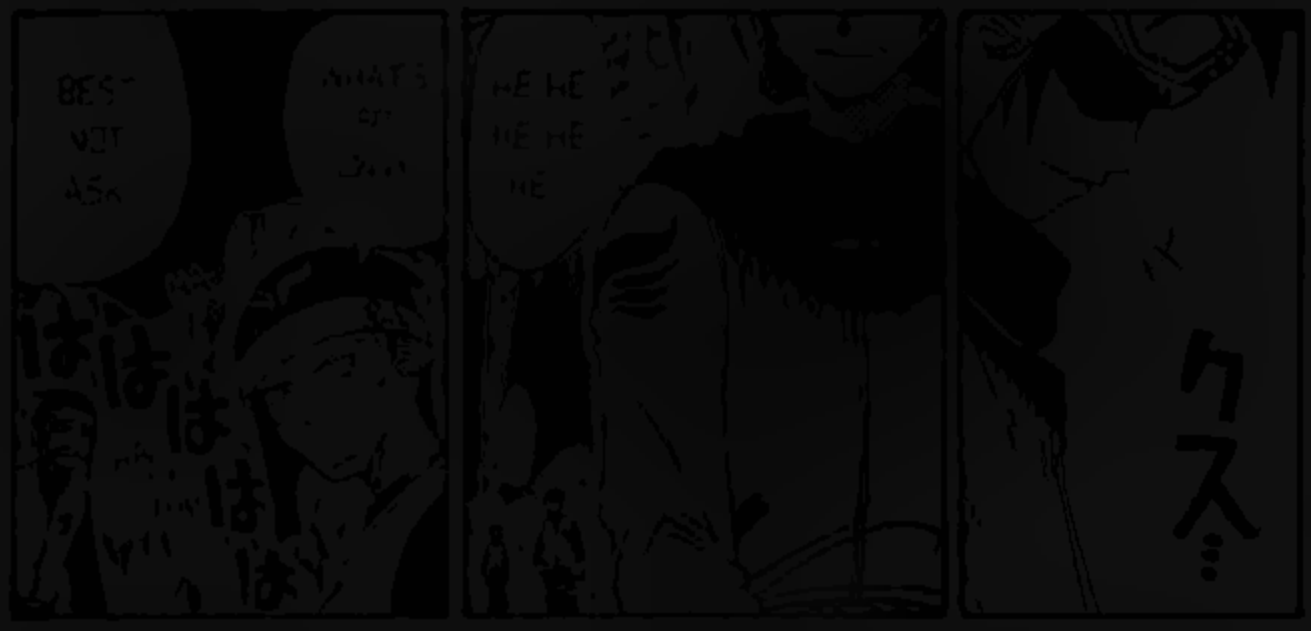
THIS... LEAD ME
THERE'S A FAINT SME... OF PERFUME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GETTING
LOUD

TAKE WHERE
SEE
ENJOY
ALL
SUCH
DO WE
TO
FOR

DON'T MIND LOVE THE SMELL OF FRESH LAUNDRY
PUNK
UNLESS WE ALL TAKE OUT PLUE AND GRIFF NOW

WE NEED TO FIND THE RAVE BEFORE DEMON CARD DOES
ALL RIGHT TIME TO GET TO IT

BUT AT LEAST WE HAVE PLUE- THE RAVE REALER
WE'LL BE GOING IN BLIND
YES, SIR!
PUUN!!

WAKE
UP
!!!

ELIE!

SHE FELL ASLEEP
ふわ
WHAT?!
YES AND I TALK, TOO
DIFF T-N
WELL THAT'S BECAUSE... NEVERMIND I'M TOO TIRED SOOOOOOHT
DON'T BE TOO SURPRISED I AM EVALUATED
WELL AND IF EVERYONE

FLOWERS
?
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POLLEN THEN
WHAT ARE FLOWERS DOING THIS DEEP IN A CAVE?
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IS THIS WHAT KNOCKED EVERYONE OUT?

UH
JAH, I'M
GETTING
DROWSY
SNAP!

HUH?
WHO TO
PROTECT
THE
TREES

HA
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YOU CAN
GUESS WHAT
IT DOES
WHEN

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WHAT
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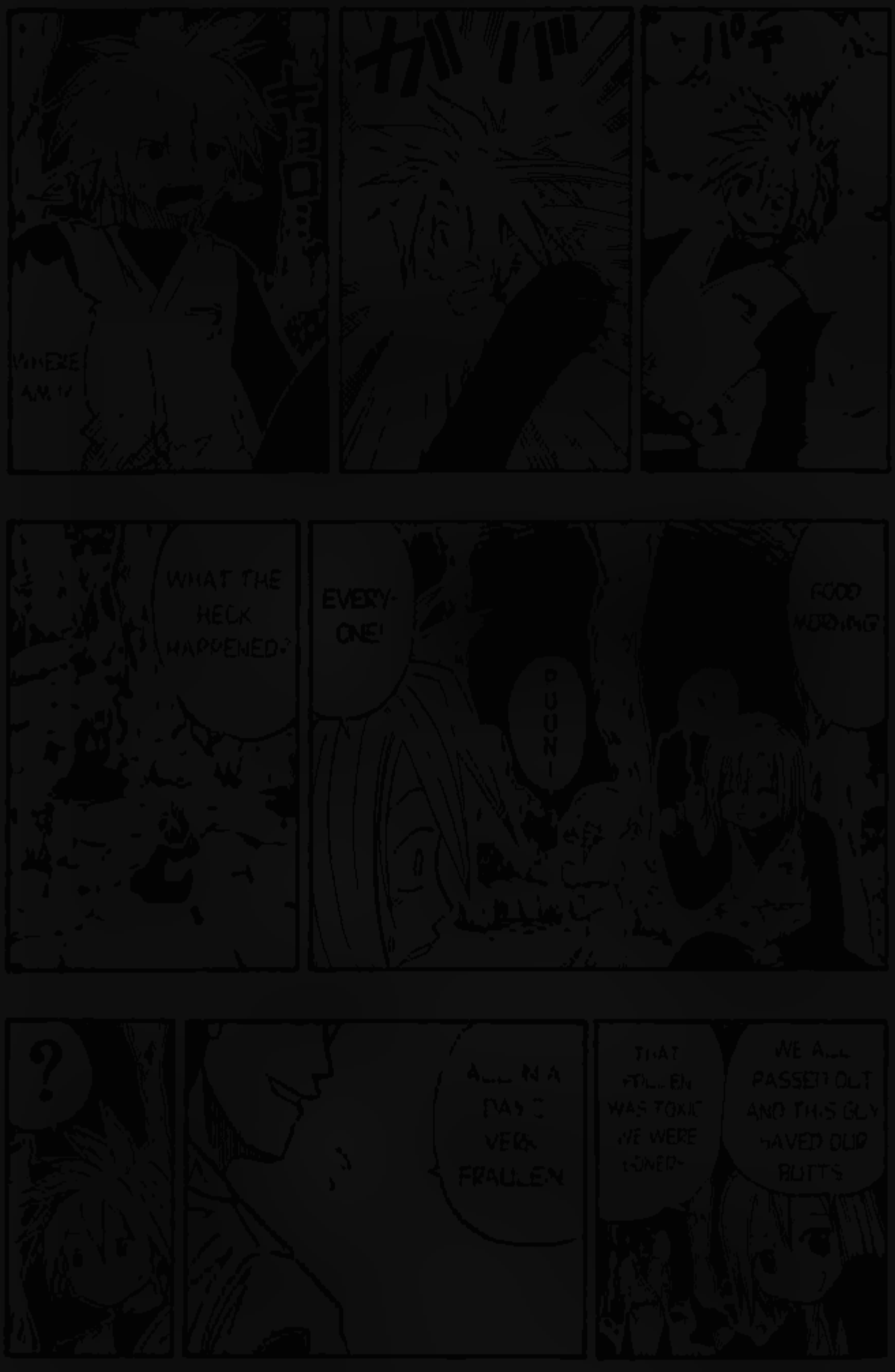
WHERE AM I?
WHAT THE HECK HAPPENED?
EVERY-ONE!
DUN
GOOD MORNING
?
ALL IN A DAY'S VERK FRAULEN
THAT FALLEN WAS TOXIC WE WERE DONE!
WE ALL PASSED OUT AND THIS GUY SAVED OUR BUTTS

I GOT RID OF ALL THE POLLEN YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO BREATHE NORMALLY
MY NAME IS SCHNEIDER I'M AN ARZT A DOCTOR
Name
Dr.SCHNEIDER

HERE GIVE ME YOUR ARM
THANK YOU

IF YOU DON'T GET A VACCINE YOUR BODY WILL SWELL AND EVENTUALLY HURT
THIS SLEEPING POLLEN ISN'T A NATURALLY OCCURRING PHENOMENON
AM I SICK OR SOMETHING?
A SWEETIE

D-DON'T BE RIDICULOUS!
AH! I GET IT YOU'RE AFRAID OF NEEDLES
Z"
WHAT'S A DOCTOR LIKE YOU DOING IN A PLACE LIKE THIS
THAT'S NICE
STARTED TO EXPLAIN BEFORE NATURAL SLEEPING POLLEN ISN'T POISONOUS
FAKE?
BUT THE SLEEPING POLLEN WERE ZEENS TO BE
I NEED ZEE SLEEPING POLLEN FOR A NEW ZERUM

DEMON CARD MUST'VE CREATED IT TO KILL INTRUDERS!
SO ZEE SLEEPING POTION HERE HAS TO BE ZYNTHETIC!

WAIT!
IT'S HORRIBLE.
DEMON CARD?

YOU CAN TRUST ME.
I'M SURE YOU CAN EXPLAIN
WE'RE NOT FROM--

SO YOU CAN TAKE US DEEP ENOUGH THAT WE WON'T GET CAUGHT.
REALLY ?!

IT MUST VE BEEN FATE THAT VE MET HERE ! ... TAKE YOU DEEPER IN ZEE CAVES
OF COURSE

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IT SEEMS THE ASSASSIN HAS MADE CONTACT WITH HER.

MASTER SHUDA, I'VE GOT A MESSAGE

I SEE.
THEN LET THE GAME BEGIN.

RAVE:28 Chameleon Panic?!

I SEE
MASTER SHEDA - SEEMS THE ASSASSIN HAS MADE CONTACT WITH THE RAVE MASTER

THEN LET THE GAME BEGIN.

HEY, SCHNEIDER DIDN'T WE PASS THIS PLACE BEFORE?

HMM. WAS ZERE ANYTHING I'D REMEMBER
THIS HAD TWO FUNCTIONS
I THINK WE'RE LOST.
OH. MAN. THIS IS BAD.

HA HA HA! BUT I'VE FORGOTTEN ZEE WAY
BUT YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO BE LEADING US. WE DON'T KNOW THESE LANDS
IF YOU LEAD FROM NOW ON, THEN

WE HAVE THREE CHOICES

FINE. GUESS I'LL CHOOSE OUR PATH

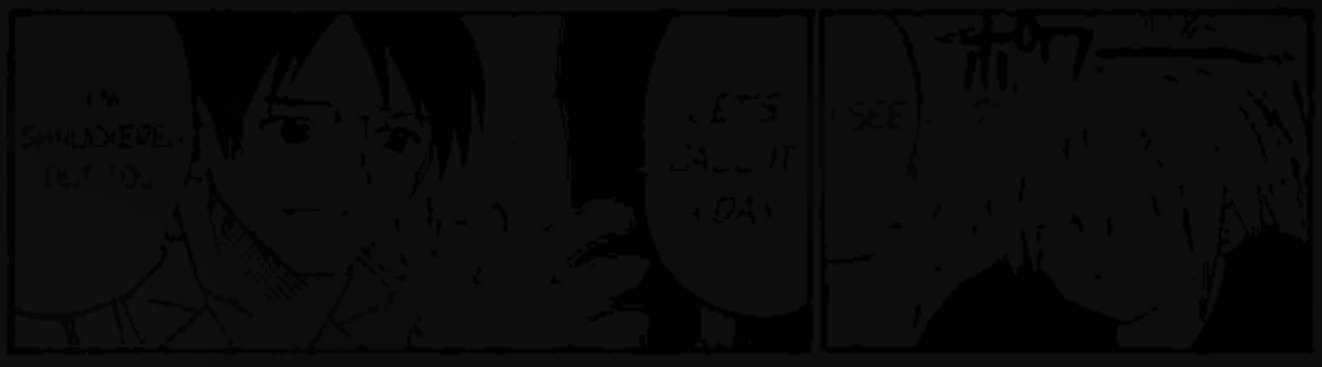
PUUN
OH. YEAH! HELL KNOW!
HEY HARU MAYBE WE SHOULD ASK PLE!
WATER DEMON?
YEAH! IT'S OK!
ARE YOU REALLY SURE YOU TRUST THAT WATER DEMON?
RIGHT!
OKAY! THATTA WAY! LET'S GO
PUUN

ME TOO
ELLE
YEAH
PLUES
ASLEEP
MMMM

LET'S
REST FOR
WE'VE
BEEN
WALKING
FOREVER

SHE'S
REALLY
CUTE
ELLE
FELL
ASLEEP
TOO

NO WONDER YOU HAVEN'T BEEN SLEEPING AROUND HERE. I'M SURE WE'VE REALLY JUST TIRED FROM IT. WALKING
I'M GETTING TIRED TOO. COULD IT BE BECAUSE OF THAT POLLEN AGAIN.
YAAAWN


I'M SHOULD'VE BEEN OUT TO...
LET'S CALL IT A DAY.
I SEE

GOOD NIGHT
GOD

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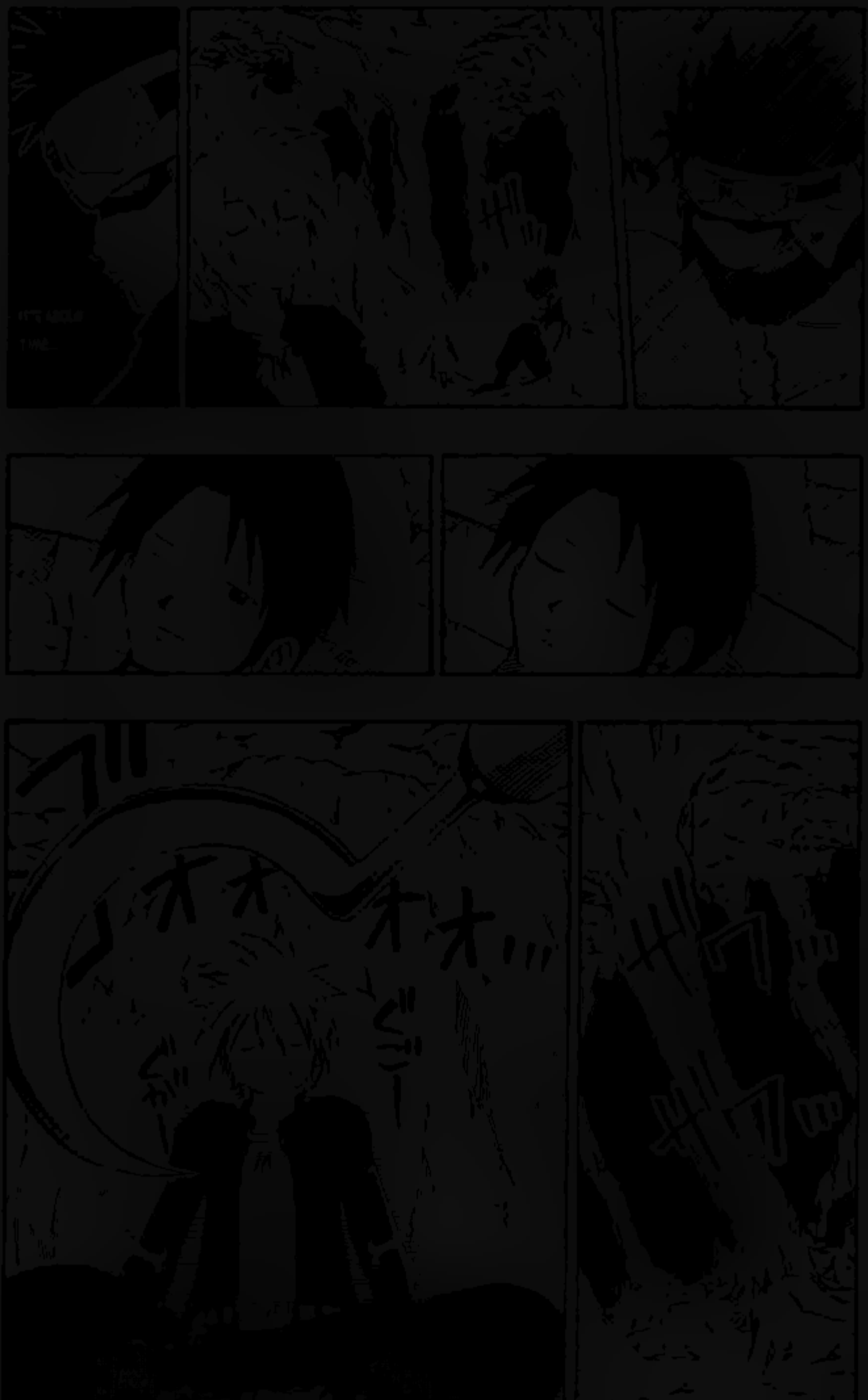
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DIE!

DON'T MOVE.
!!

YOU JERK!
HEY! FREAK!
LET GO OF ME!
?
W- WHAT'S GOING ON?
WHA?!

WH-
WHAT'S
GOING
ON?!
!?

THIS GUY'S AN ASSASSIN SENT TO KI... YOU.

IF IT WEREN'T FOR THIS MEDDLING KID!
!
AND I JUST'VE GOTTEN AWAY WITH IT TOO

YOU'RE VICTIM ME, RIGHT? SURE DEED

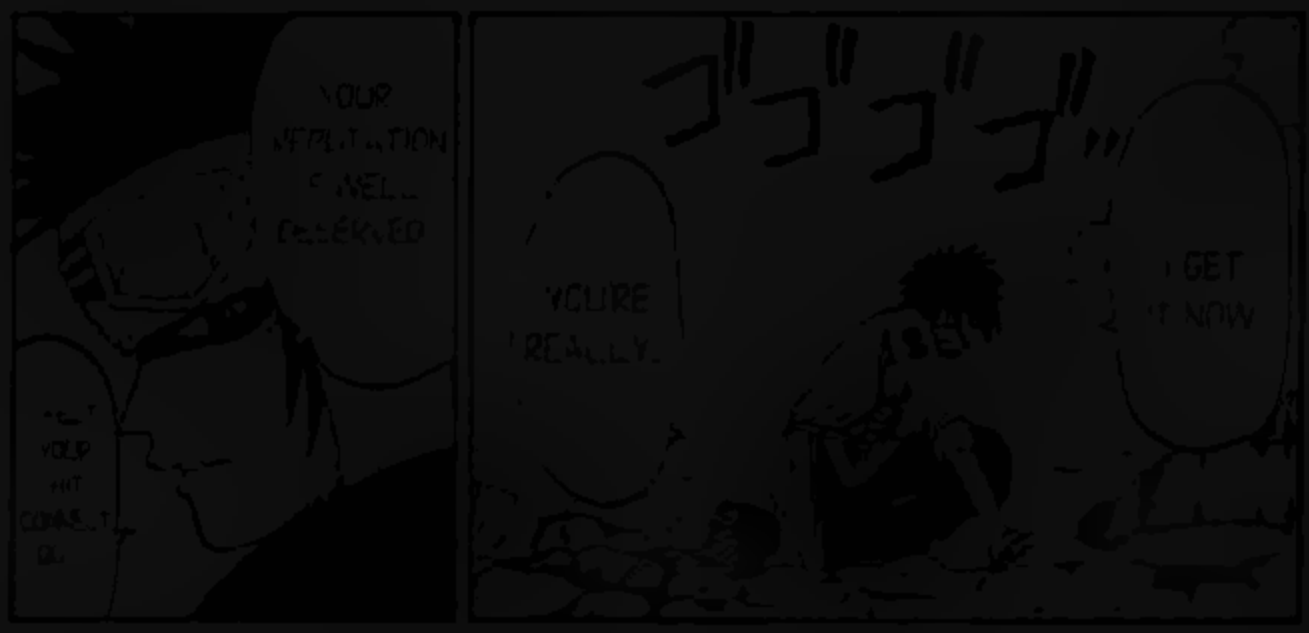
HE'S A SERIOUSLY EVIL DUDE WHO'LL DO ANYTHING FOR CASH
HE'S SOMEHOW A FAMOUS ASSASSIN IN THE UNDERWORLD
HEH HEH HEH

JUST TRY

ME TOO! WHY?
I CAN'T MOVE! MY WHOLE BODY IS PARALYZED!
AW, SNAP!

QUIT YOUR
A TIME RELEASE SLEEPING POTION THAT PARALYZES YOU EVEN IF YOU HAVE UP
I JUST DID IT TO GET A FREE LOOK AT YOU LIKE ANY CLIENT ASKED
I DON'T NEED YOU
WHAT?! BUT YOU HELPED US BEFORE!
IT'S ALWAYS ABOUT MONEY WITH YOU WELL... IT ENDS HERE
DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH!
YOU'RE NOTHING BUT A LOW CLASS FOOT SOLDIER
AND I ALWAYS DO WHAT ZEE MAN WITH ZEE CHECKBOOK WANTS
THAT'S ALL

!!
WHA
-?!


YOUR REPUTATION PRECEDED
YOU'RE REALLY
I GET IT NOW

YOU'RE HURTIN ME HERE
AM ALREADY LOST IN DISTANT MEMORY.
YOU GOOF I DID EXACTLY WHAT YOU GUYS DID TO GET IN
WHO THE HECK ARE YOU? WE YOU REALLY WITH LEMON CARD.

LONG TIME NO SEE GUYS
NO WAY!
LIGH

HARU.

MUSICA!
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!!

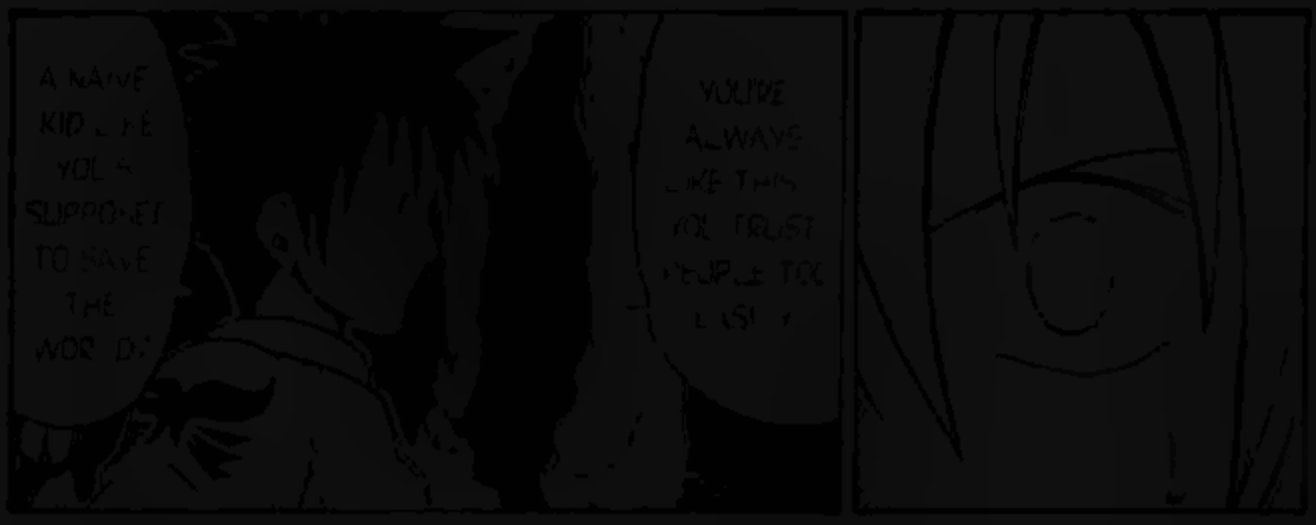
RAVE : 29 Open Sesame?!

MUSICA

SMASHING
HOW'VE YOU BEEN?

MAN MUST BE LOSING MY TOUCH
WHAT'RE YOU DOING DOWN HERE?
MUSICA ZEE HEAD OF THE ZILVER RHYTHM GANG

HELP
?
WE'RE AFTER
CAN YOU
EVEN A TEA
SAVE
I'M A THIEF
CAN'T LET
ANYONE
MUSCLE IN
ON MY LOOT
HA'
WE NEED
TO WORK
TOGETHER
DUDE! MUSICA
YOU KNOW
HOW TOTALLY
IMPORTANT
RAVE IS

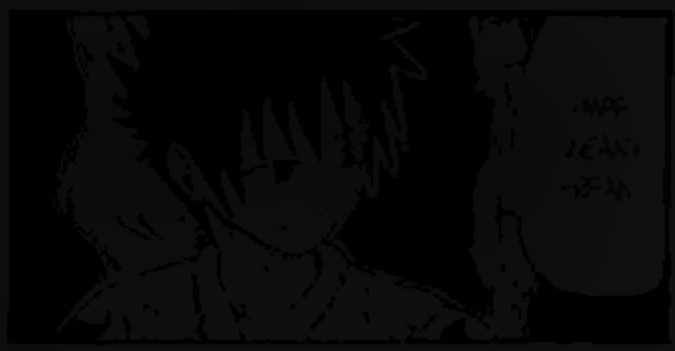

A NAIVE KID LIKE YOU SHOULDN'T BE SUPPOSED TO SAVE THE WORLD!
YOU'RE ALWAYS LIKE THIS. YOU TRUST PEOPLE TOO EASILY.

DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH!
!!

YO SCHNEIDER HURRY UP AND GET RID OF MY PARALYSIS!

WHAT DID YOU SAY?
EH?
EH?

WHAT?!
HE GOT AWAY.



I'M STILL A LITTLE NUMB.

NO BIG DEAL
NEVER MIND THAT WE HAVE TO NAIL THAT GUY
OR HE'LL COME AFTER US AGAIN
I'M MORE INTERESTED IN DEALING WITH CAPTAIN CLUELESS HERE
YOU JERK
I'M GOING TO GET THE RAVE
IF YOU WANT IT TRY AND STEAL IT FROM ME IF YOU CAN.
EH

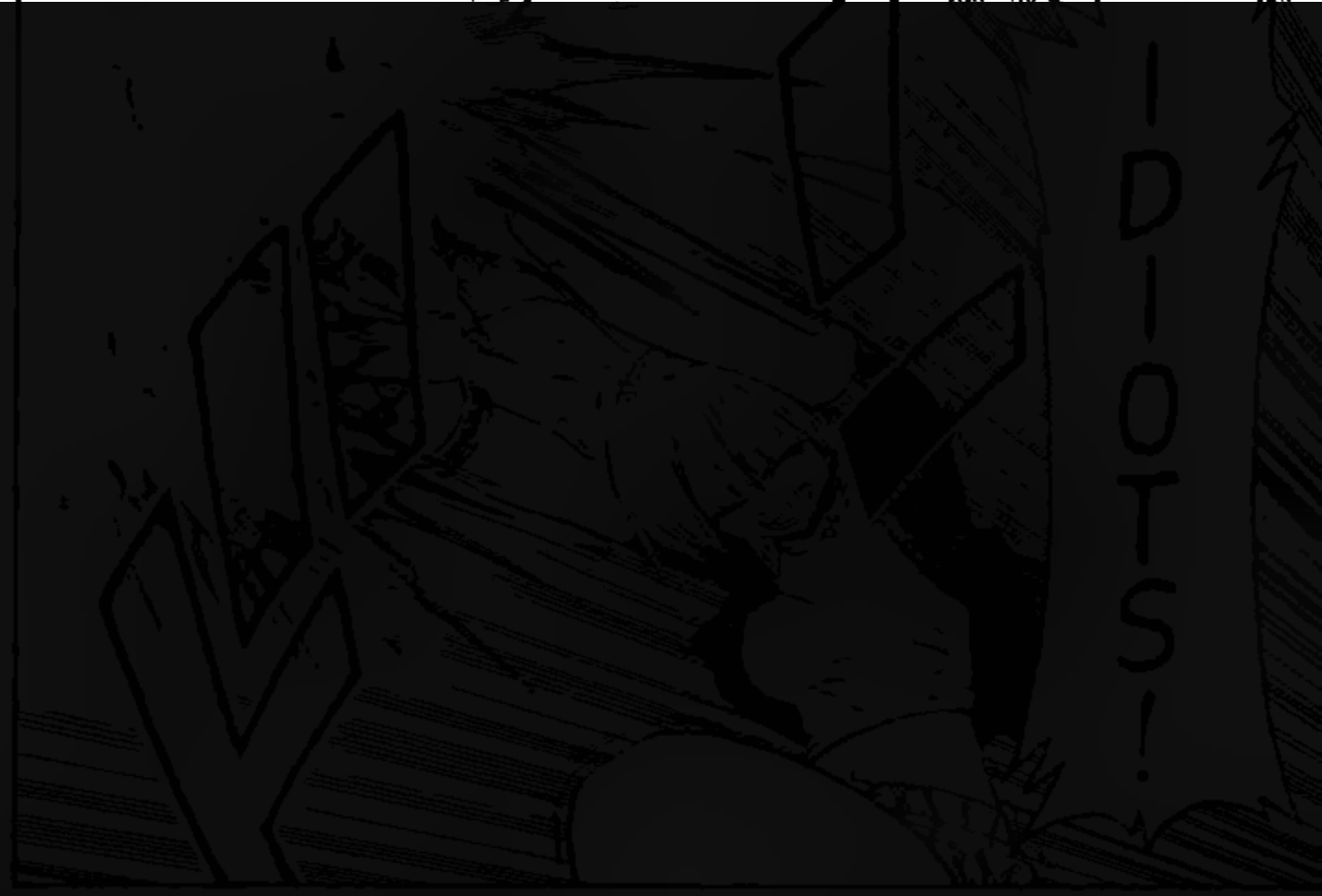
IF I CAN?

AND THAT ASSASSIN WILL BE BACK!

KNOCK T OFF YOU TWO

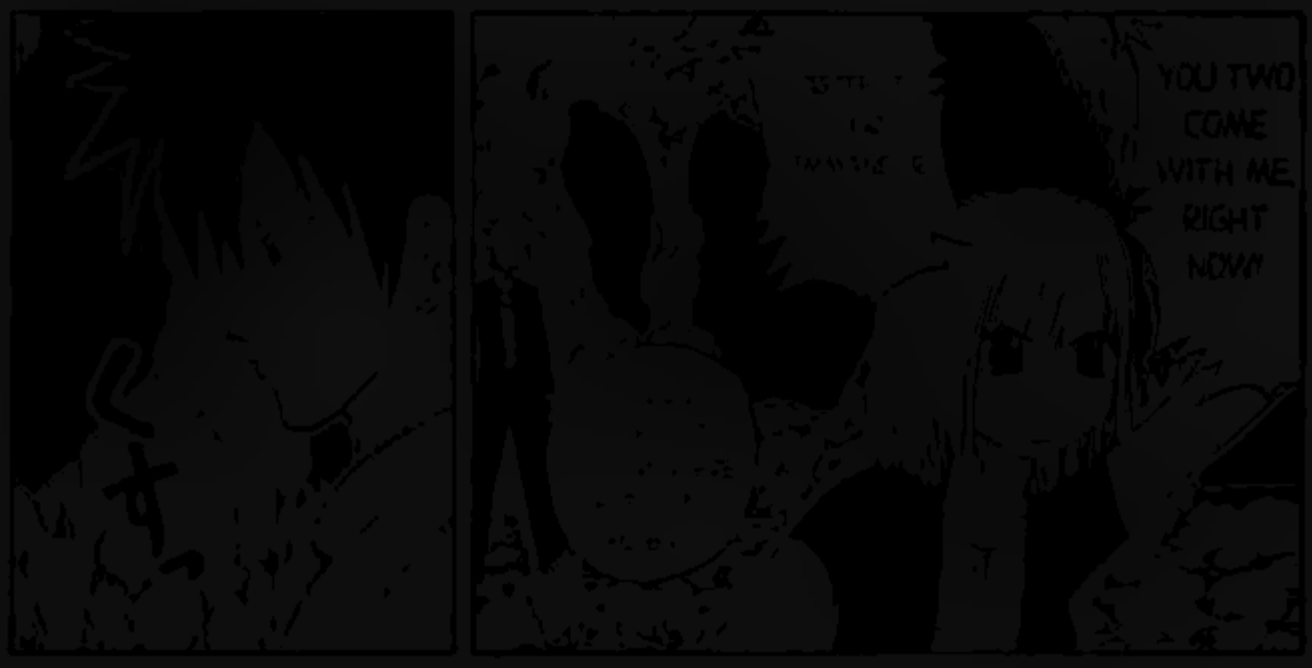
THIS IS NOT THE TIME OR THE PLACE!

OF YOU'RE NOT BACK AND I'LL K... YOU
M NOT GONNA GO
LET'S GO!
HEY STOP IT


I DIOTS!

WAAAAAH!

ELIE!
WHA-
DYA
THINK
YOU'RE
DOIN'?
HUH?
I
WIN!
HAHA
HA
HAHA
HA!
WHAT?!

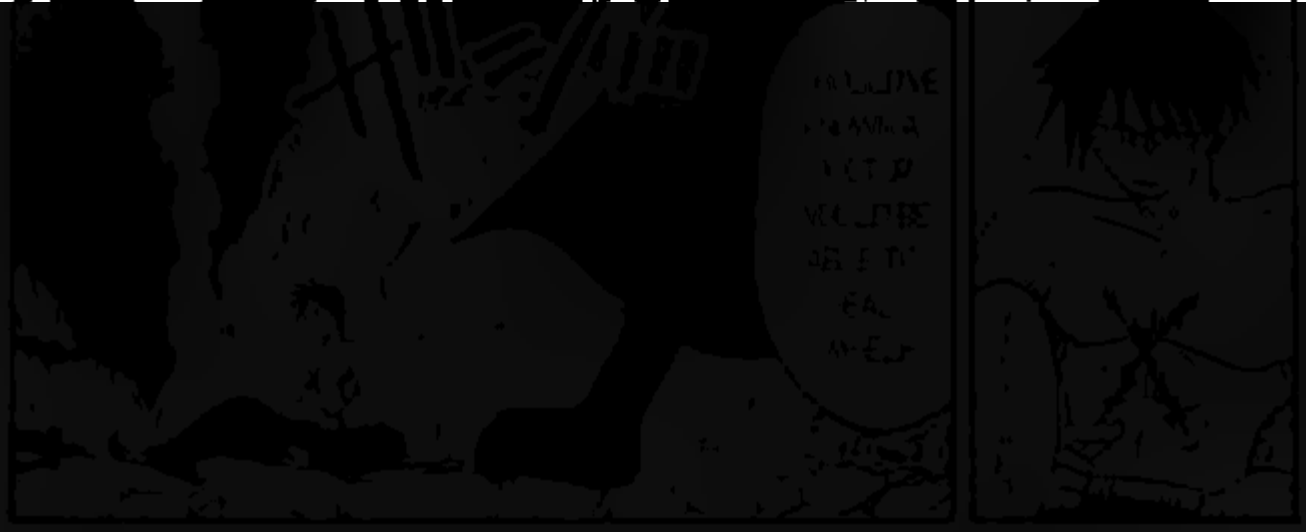

YOU TWO COME WITH ME RIGHT NOW!

DON'T YOU GET TIRED OF HER NAGG
HA HA HA! SHE HASN'T CHANGED A BIT

WELL THEN WE
THAT

I'LL HELP YOU GUYS OUT
AND AS PROOF OF OUR TRUCE
YEAH
WE HAVE TO FIND THEM BEFORE THEY DO. BUT DOES
MUSIC
LETS FIND THE RAVE!

UH OH
PUUN PUUN
NOT AGAIN!
PLUE'S GONE!
ALL RIGHT! FOLLOW ME, MEW!



BUT IT SEEMS YOU FALL SHORT OF YOUR PERFECT REPUTATION

BUT LEE GAME IS NOT OVER YET

NO
IT'S
TOO
O_O
GOD
THAT
A
DOOR?

OH GREAT IS THERE ANYONE WHO CAN READ THIS?
THERE'S SOME KANJI WRITTEN ON THE DOOR
WHAT?!
NONE SHALL ENTER
BEYOND THIS DOOR IS THE RESTING PLACE OF EVIL
THOSE WHO DARE TO ENTER
PREPARE TO FALL VICTIM TO THE GHOSTS OF SYMPHONIA!
HOW CAN YOU READ THIS ELIE?
THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEANT!
THE RAVE IS IN
WAIT A MINUTE

I WONDER HOW CAN READ T-
(OUT KNOW LIST READ
WHAT'S G ING ON HERE? HOW DO YOU READ THAT-
I KNOW! I MUST'VE BEEN A VERY GOOD STUDENT!
THE RAVES BEHIND THIS DOOR SO THAT MEANS WE HAVE TO GO INSIDE RIGHT
WHADYA THINK YOU'RE DOIN'?!

I'LL BE FINE
DOES HE EVER STOP
DON'T HARM IT SAYS NOT TO ENTER
SEE NO PROB EM

WHA?
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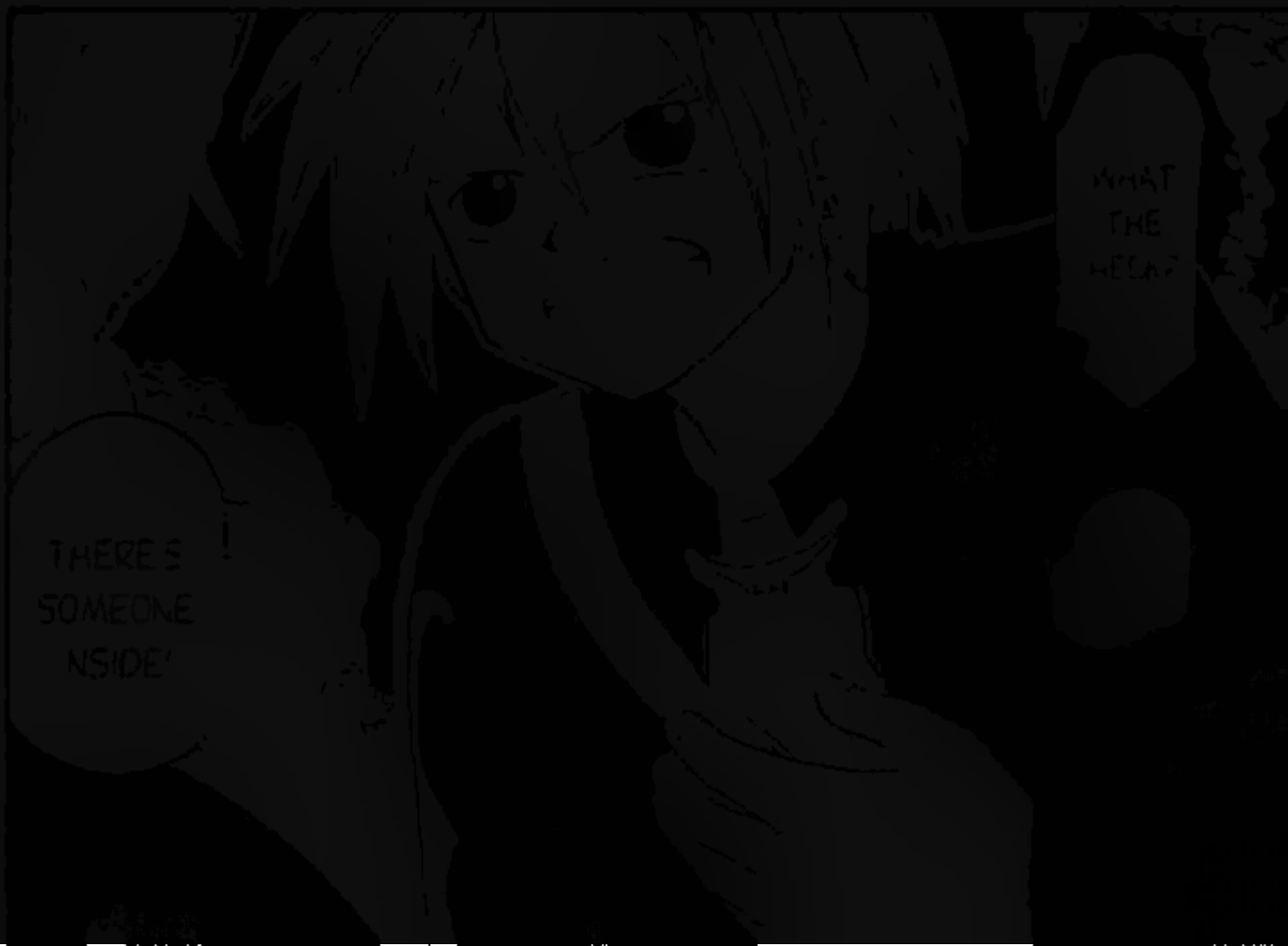
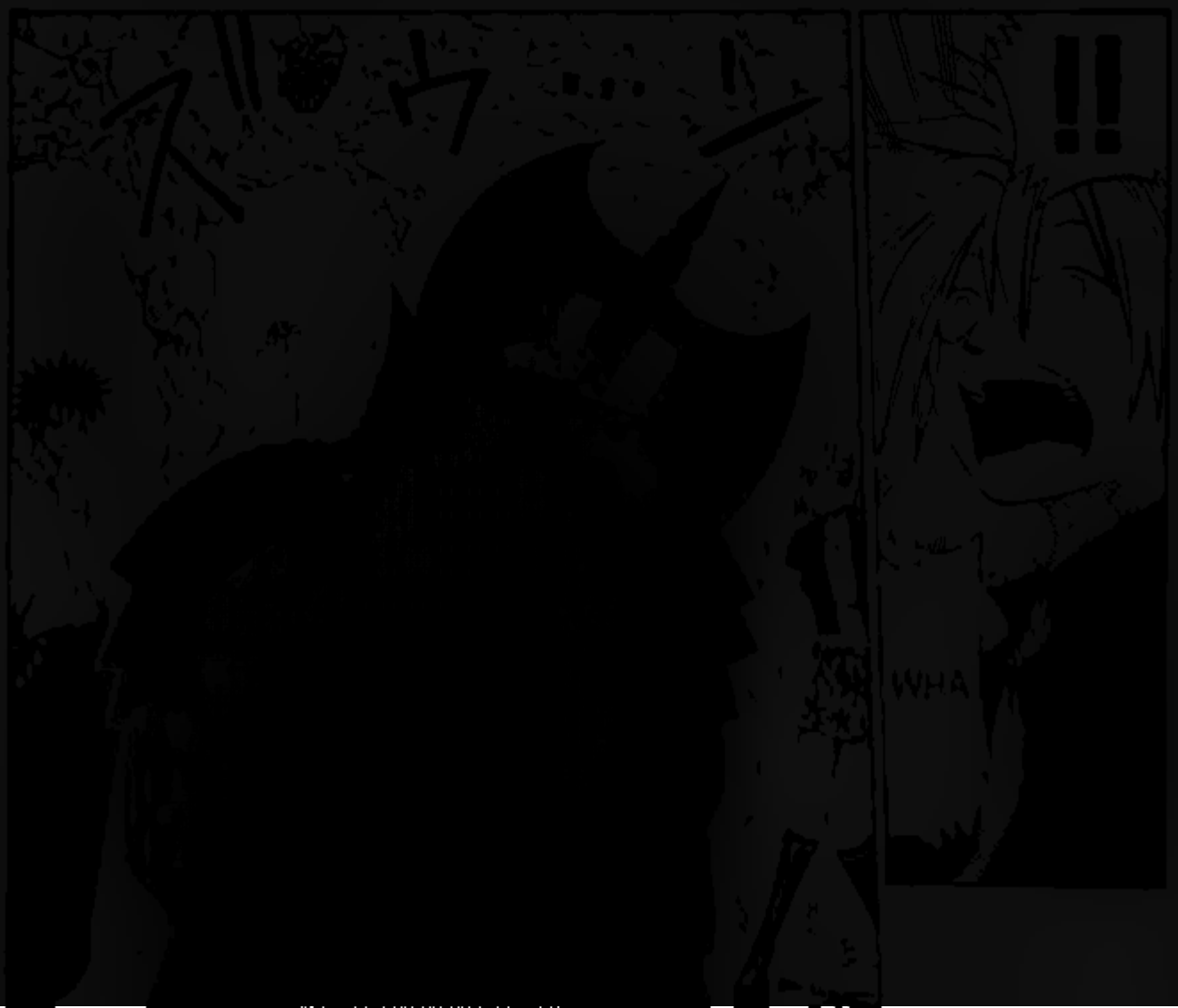

WHAT THE HECK?
THERE'S SOMEONE INSIDE!

THERE'S SOMEONE IN THERE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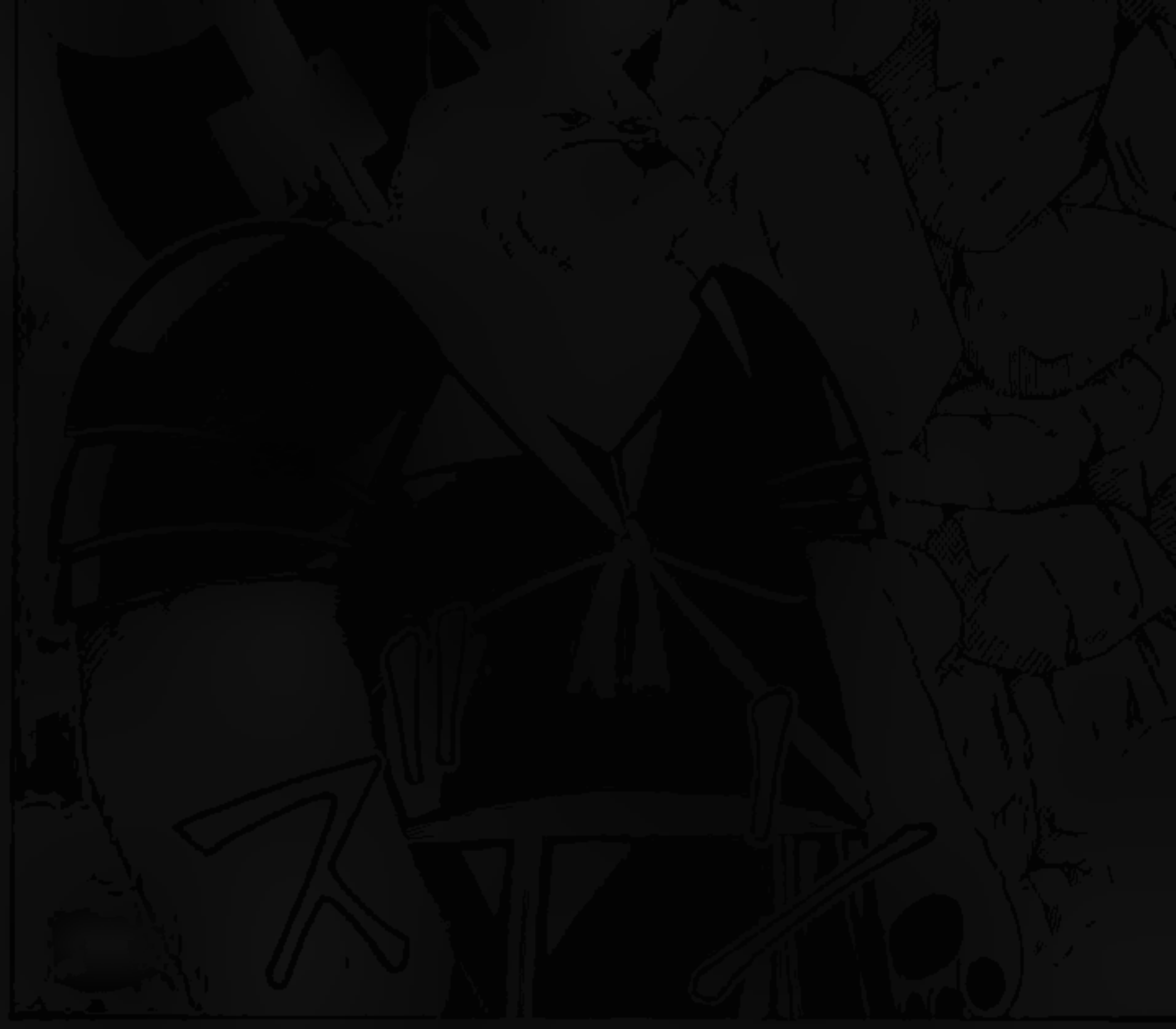
MASTER



WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?
YOU'RE THAT BEAR WE SAW BEFORE!

DIDN'T YOU READ THE SIGN...
AND WHAT D YOU SUDDENLY ATTACK ME FOR
WHO THE HECK IS HE
I STILL HAVEN'T ACCEPTED YOU AS A ZAVE MASTER
GRR...

I'LL BUILD THIS ROOM
...M

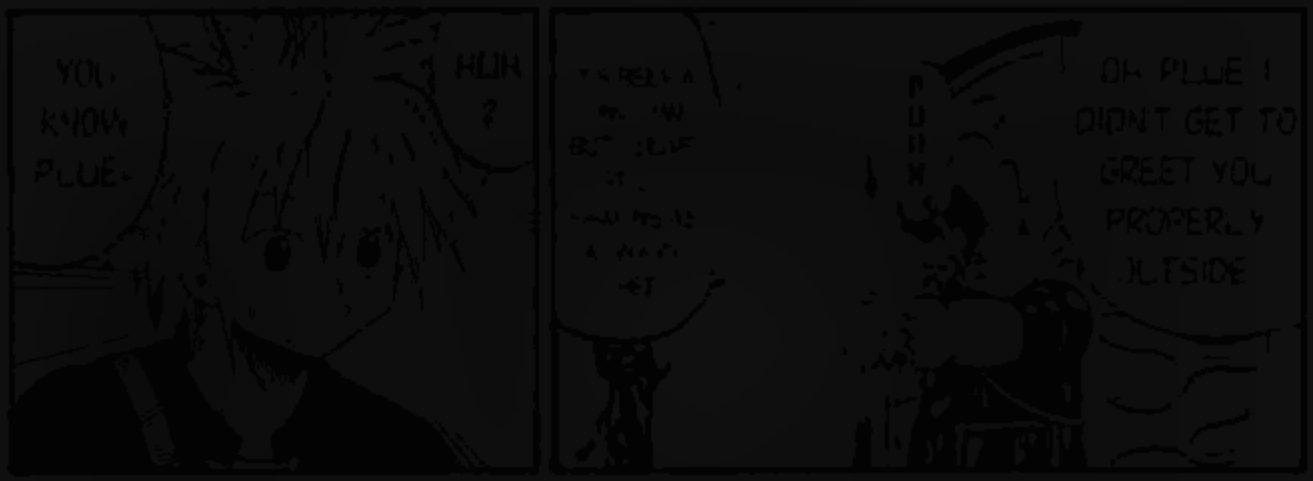
AMAZING
YOU'D NEVER THINK WE WERE IN A SLUM

THAT WOULD BE A VERY VERY LONG STORY

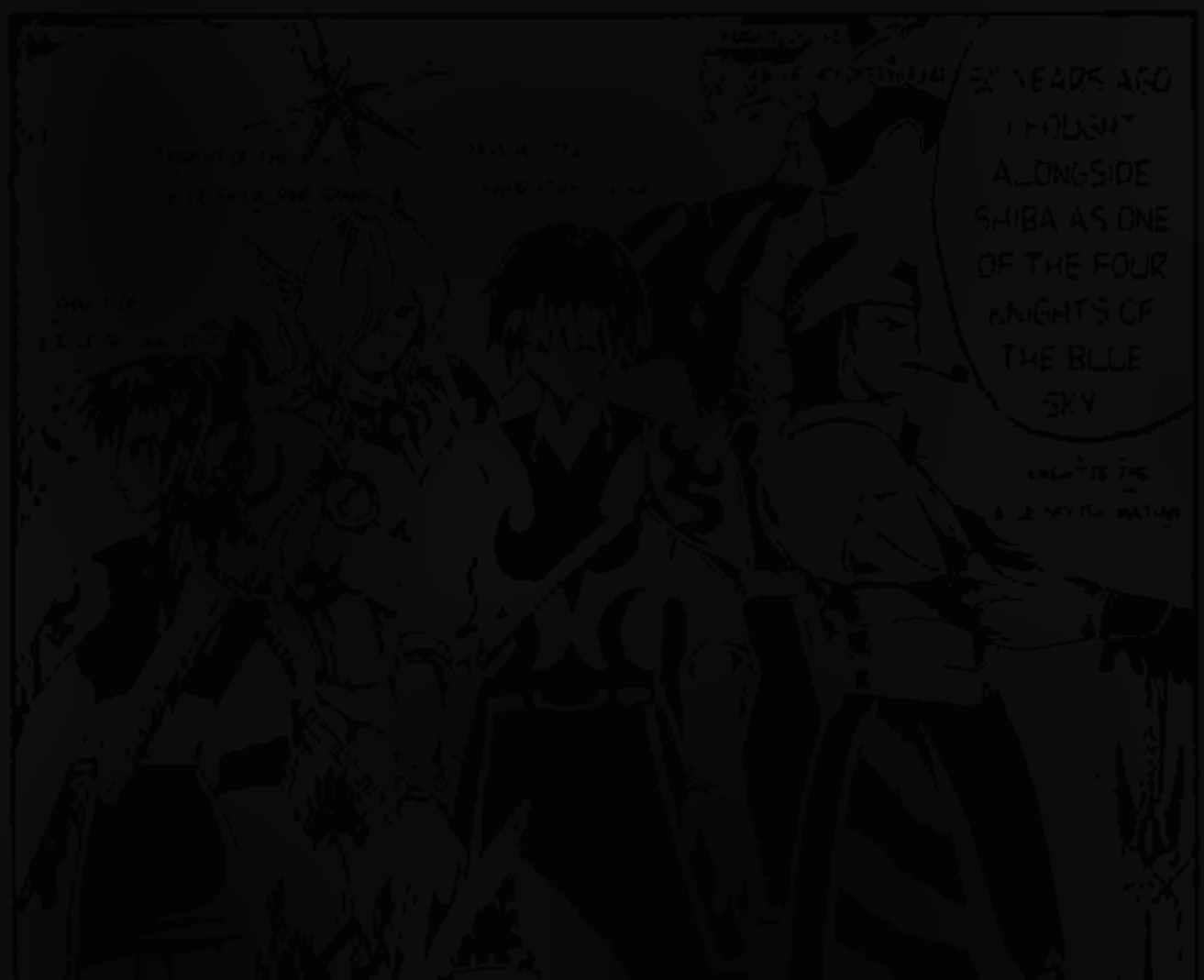
GET T THINK UNDER STAND
!!
THAT WAS SHORT!
I AM THE GUARD AN OF THE RAVE

YOU'RE OBV OUSLY NOT AN ORDINARY BEAR
HMPF
YOU WERE TESTING US RGHT?

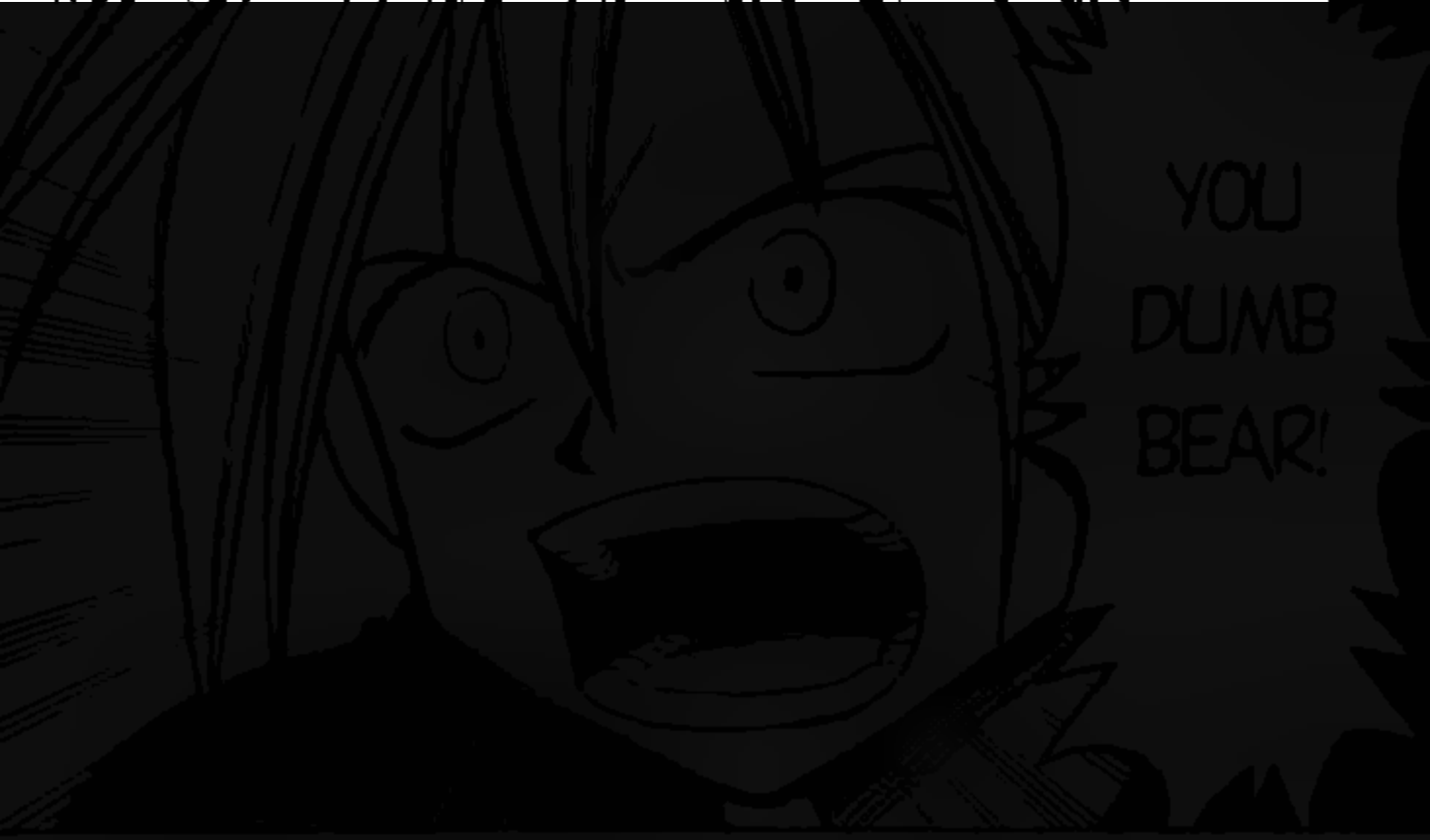
PUUN
HUMAN ?
PUUN
I WAS ONCE HUMAN


YOU KNOW PLUE-
HUH ?
OH PLUE I DIDN'T GET TO GREET YOU PROPERLY OUTSIDE

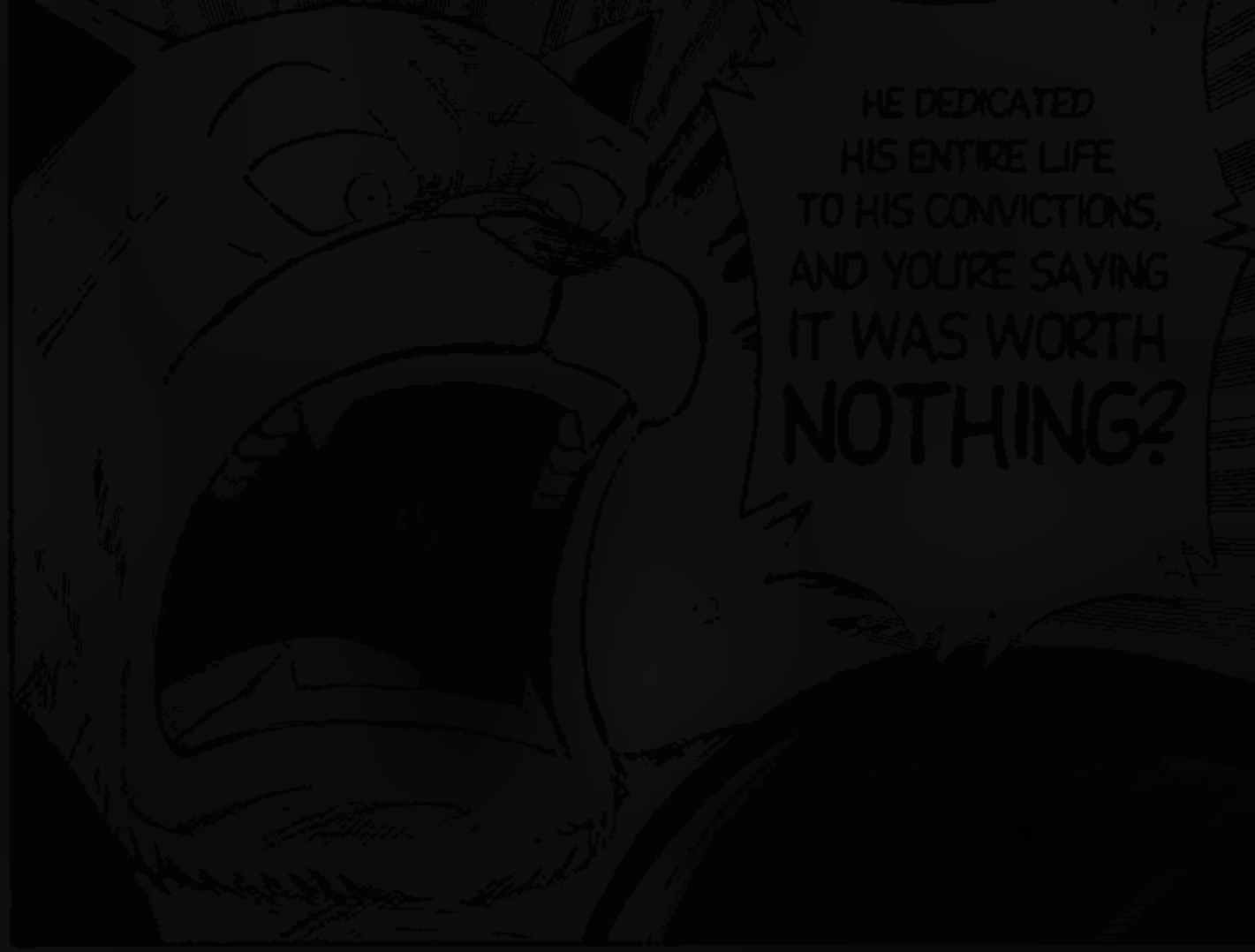
MY NAME IS DEERHOUND
YES BUT LET ME START BY TELLING YOU ABOUT MYSELF


50 YEARS AGO I FOUGHT ALONGSIDE SHIBA AS ONE OF THE FOUR KNIGHTS OF THE BLUE SKY

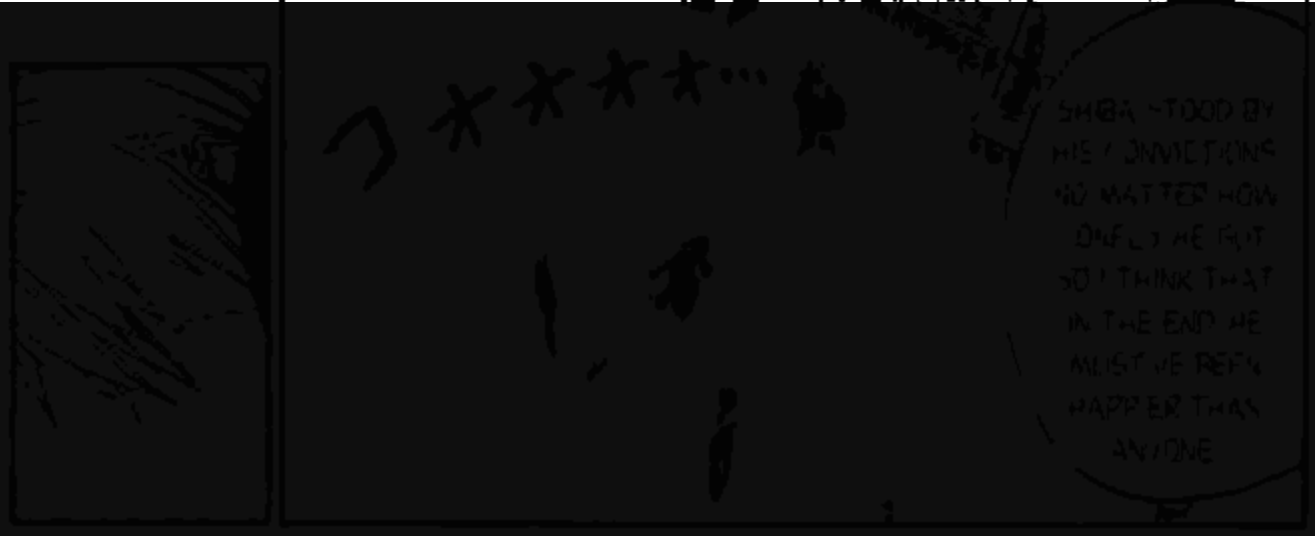
THE ONLY ONES WHO SURVIVED WERE SHIBA AND HALE
BUT ALL FOUR OF OUR ORDER LOST OUR LIVES IN THE WAR
WE DIED IN THE WAR BUT WHEN WE DISCOVERED THAT THE PAVE HAD BEEN BROKEN AND SCATTERED
YES I DO BUT
SO THEN YOU HAVE A PAVE.


YOU DUMB BEAR!

IF YOU'RE HIS FRIEND THEN WHY DIDN'T YOU HELP HIM?
I KNEW SHIBA WAS LOOKING FOR THE RAVES BUT I COULDN'T DO ANYTHING ABOUT IT. IT WAS FATE THAT HE COULDN'T FIND THIS PLACE
HARU YOU'RE WRONG WHEN I FIRST DIED I COULDN'T TALK TO THE LIVING
ARE YOU TRYING TO SAY THE PAST 50 YEARS OF SHIBA'S LIFE WERE WORTHLESS.
FEEL SO BAD FOR HIM
YES HE MUST'VE BEEN SO LONELY


HE DEDICATED HIS ENTIRE LIFE TO HIS CONVICTIONS, AND YOU'RE SAYING IT WAS WORTH NOTHING?

IT DOESN'T MATTER WHAT YOU BELIEVE IN IF THERE'S NOBODY TO SHOW YOU LOVE THAT REALLY MATTERS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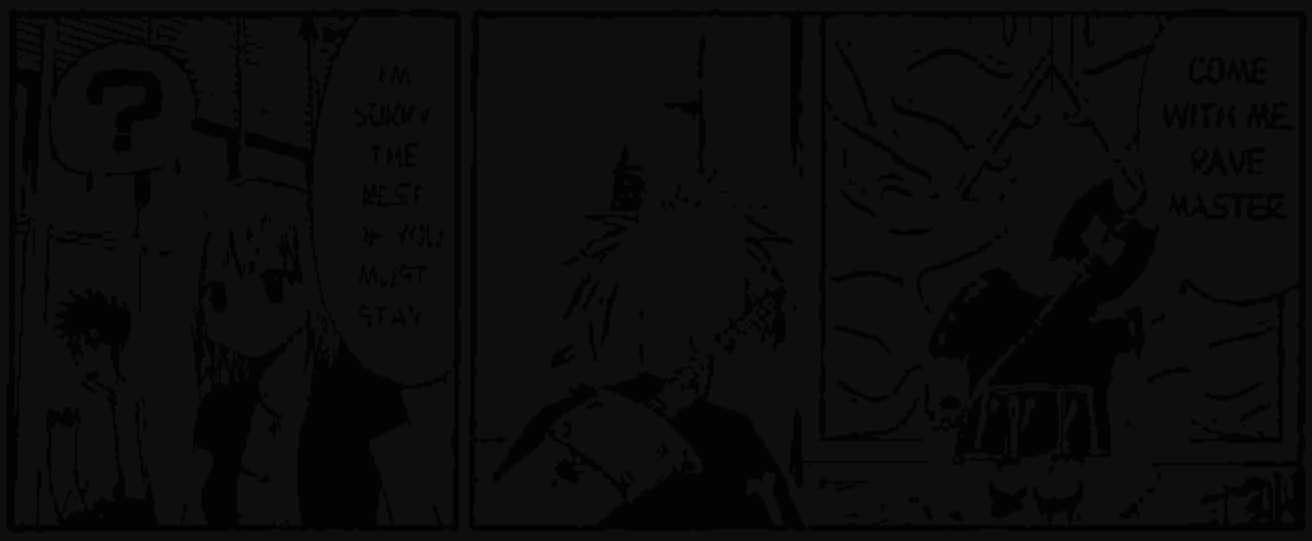
SO I THINK THAT
IN THE END HE
MUST VE REFN
HAPPIER THAN
ANYONE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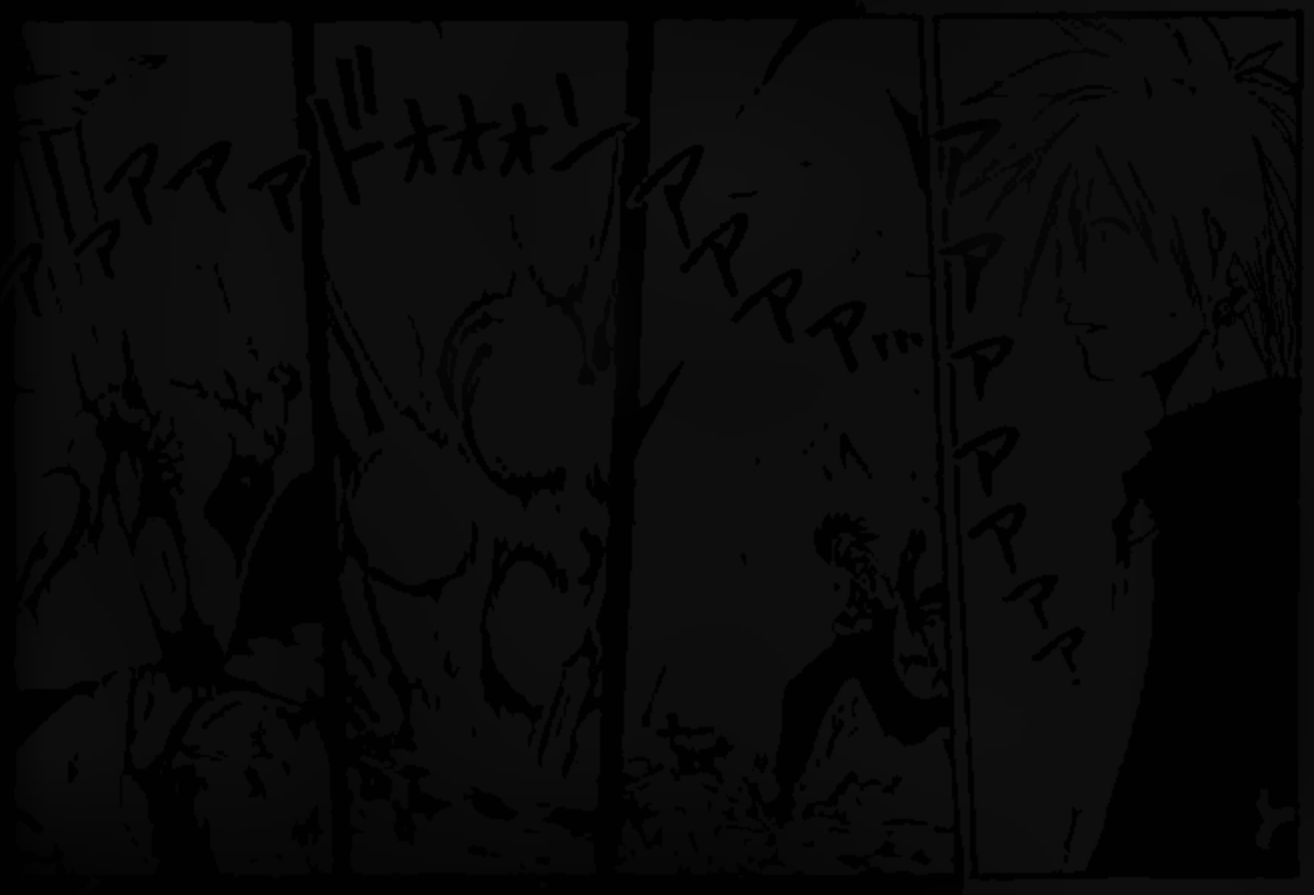
I'M
SORRY
THE
BEST
IF YOU
MUST
STAY
COME
WITH ME
DAVE
MASTER

THE SMALL
COUNTRY OF
SYMPHONIA
TRIED TO
STOP THEM
AND WAR
BROKE OUT
BUT
THE PROUD
WARRIORS OF
SYMPHONIA
FOUGHT
BRAVELY TO
SAVE THE
COUNTRY AND
THE WORLD

MOST OF THEM LEFT THIS WORLD UNFULFILLED. HUSKS.
THIS IS THEIR GRAVEYARD.

BUT IT IS A GRAVEYARD ONLY IN NAME. THEIR BODIES AREN'T ACTUALLY HERE. JUST MEMORIES

JUST LIKE IT WAS YESTERDAY
EVEN NOW, CAN STILL HEAR THE VOICES OF THEIR HEARTS



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THAT

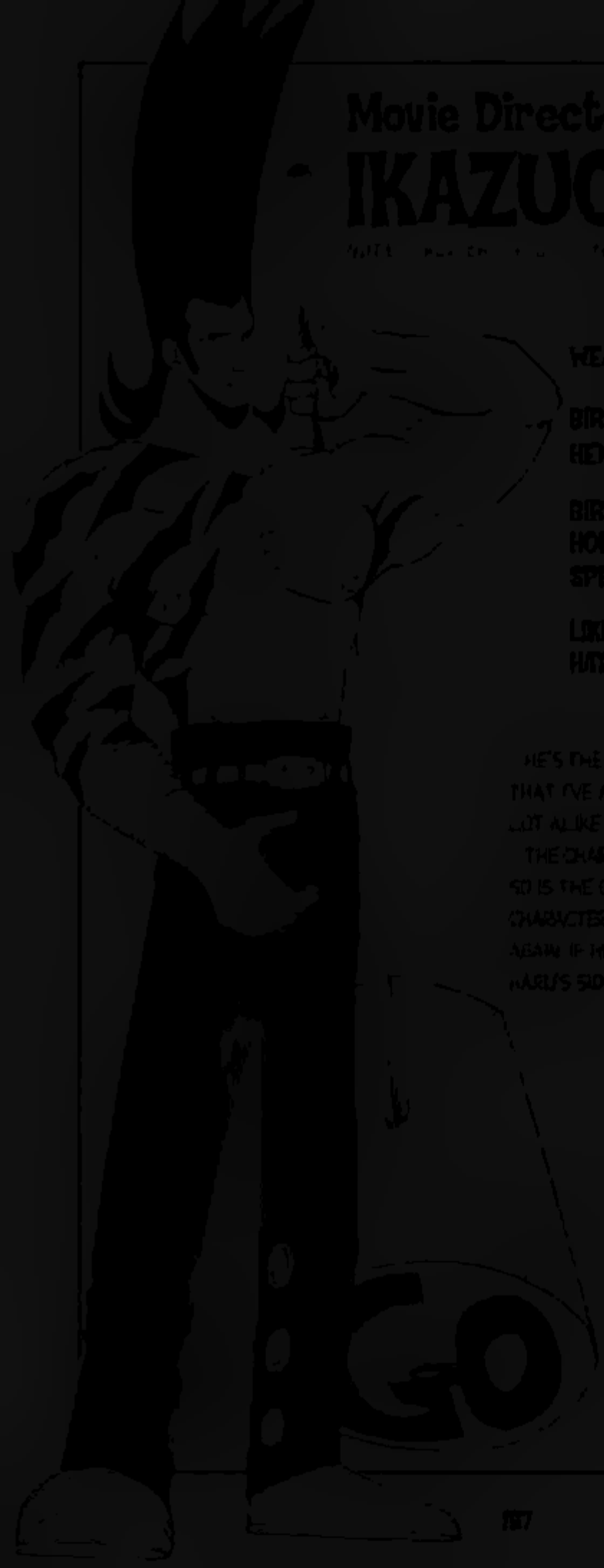
THAT'S TOO SAD!

THE RAVE OF KNOWLEDGE.
TAKE THIS. IT IS ONE OF THE RAVES THAT SCATTERED.

THAT'S WHY THE RAVES WERE SCATTERED IN THE PROPER WAY THEY WILL
THERE MUST NOT BE ANOTHER WAR

THAT MY HAVE TO PROTECT THE SPACE ALONE FLOAT LIKE
I'M SORRY
UH
WHA-
WHAT'S THE MATTER
TO BE CONTINUED

Movie Director:
IKAZUCHI NO GO



WEAPONS: THUNDER HAMMER
+ DARK BRING [illegible]

BIRTHDAY/AGE: SEPTEMBER 15 0040 / 2E

HEIGHT/WEIGHT/BLOOD TYPE:
[illegible] / 80 KG / O

BIRTHPLACE: EXPERIMENT

HOBBIES: LOOKING IN A MIRROR

SPECIAL SKILLS: SEEMS TO BE A FIRST-RATE MOVIE DIRECTOR

LIKES: MONEY, PANDAS

HATES: [illegible]

HE'S THE SECOND CHARACTER (AFTER GEMMA) THAT I'VE MODELED AFTER A FRIEND. THEY'RE A LOT ALIKE IF I DO SAY SO MYSELF.

THE CHARACTER IS PRETTY DUMB, AND ACTUALLY SO IS THE GUY I MODELED HIM AFTER. HE'S THE CHARACTER I MOST WANT TO SHOW UP IN THE STORY AGAIN. IF HE DOES SHOW UP AGAIN, WILL HE BE ON HARU'S SIDE?

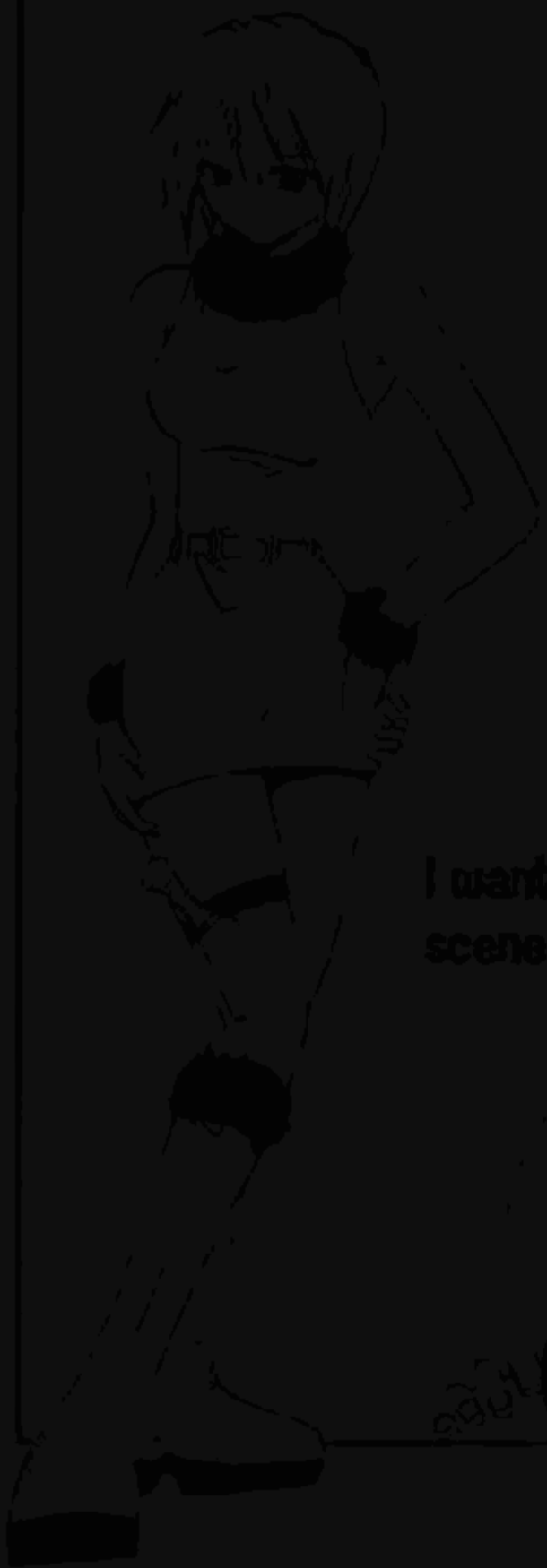
REPRESENTATIVE WORK:
'HELLO BOBBY'

HAPPY SMILEY MOVIE AWARDS:
- BEST PICTURE
- BEST DIRECTOR

AND 7 OTHER AWARDS

Go's girlfriend:

ROSA THE ACTRESS



WEAPONS: DANCING FANGS
BIRTHDAY/AGE: JULY 10, 0047 / 19
HEIGHT/WEIGHT/BLOOD TYPE: 167 CM / 48 KG / B
BIRTHPLACE: ENTERTAINMENT
HOBBIES: WATCHING PRO WRESTLING
SPECIAL SKILLS: DANCING
LIKES: MUSCLES
HATES: COCKROACHES

I PUT HER IN JUST TO FIGHT WITH ELLE (LAUGHS)

ACTUALLY I WANTED TO DO A SORT OF TAG-TEAM BATTLE WITH HARU & ELLE VS. GO & ROSA, BUT I REALLY DIDN'T THINK IT WOULD BE SUCH A GOOD IDEA TO PUT BOYS AND GIRLS AGAINST EACH OTHER. ANYWAY DON'T YOU THINK GO AND ROSA MAKE A GOOD COUPLE?

I wanted to draw a romantic scene between Go and Rosa...

Rave Guardian: KUMA

(ONE OF THE KNIGHTS OF THE BLUE SKY DEERHOUND)

Deerhound

[illegible] / [illegible]

WEAPONS: BATTLE AXE (MEGA MOLA)
HEIGHT/WEIGHT/BLOOD TYPE:
201 CM 94 KG / A
HOBBIES: READING ROMANCE NOVELS
SPECIAL SKILLS: BATTLE AXE
LIKES: WAR
HATES: PEACE

Kuma

?

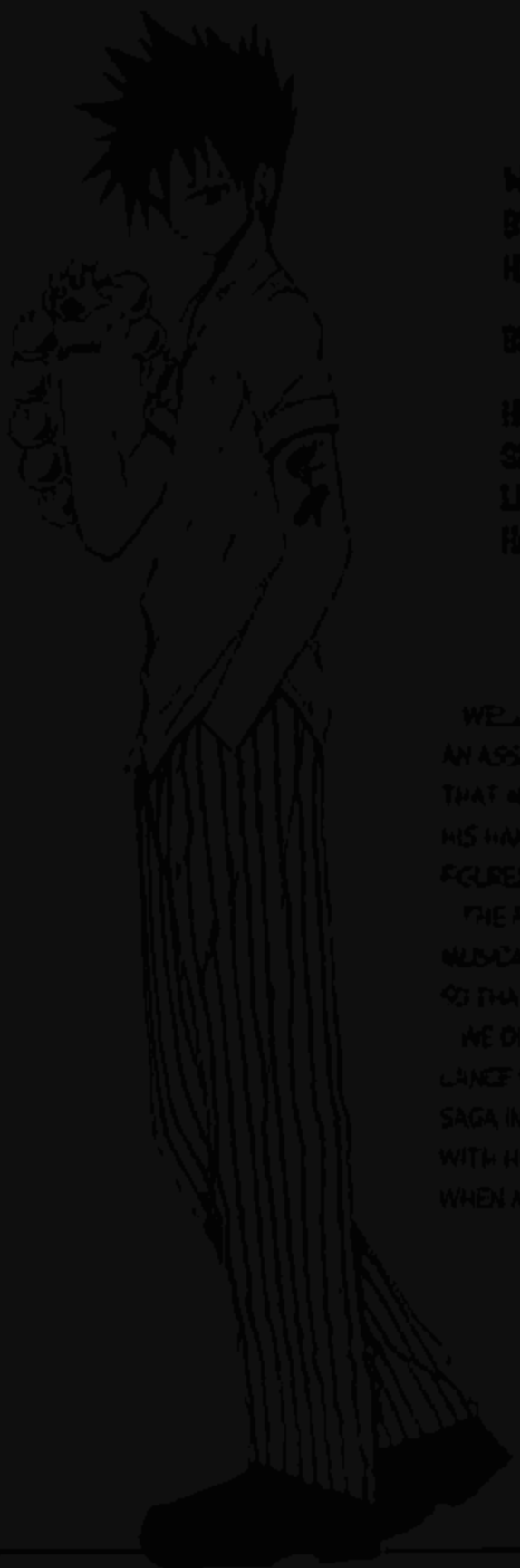
WEAPONS: BATTLE AXE (MEGA MOLA)
BIRTHDAY/AGE: ?
HEIGHT/WEIGHT/BLOOD TYPE:
210 CM/ 96 KG / ?
HOBBIES: READING ROMANCE NOVELS
SPECIAL SKILLS: CATCHING FISH IN THE RIVER
LIKES: PEACE
HATES: WAR

I HAD KUMA'S BACKGROUND DECIDED FROM THE START BUT YOU MUST BE WONDERING WHY I CHOSE A BEAR. WELL I JUST THOUGHT IT'D BE COOL IF THERE REALLY WERE TALKING BEARS! THAT'S ALL. A TALKING GIRAFFE WOULD'VE BEEN GOOD TOO

BY THE WAY, ALL OF THE KNIGHTS OF THE BLUE SKY ARE NAMED AFTER DOGS. WHY DOES YOU ASK? WELL I COULD HAVE NAMED THEM AFTER TYPES OF GIRAFFES I MEAN I'M NOT HUNG UP ON GIRAFFES OR ANYTHING WHAT?! COME ON, GIRAFFES ARE CUTE!

Head of the Silver Rhythm gang:

SILVERCLAIMER MUSICA (Part 2)



WEAPONS: SILVER [illegible]

BIRTHDAY/AGE: MAY 23 (1048 / 18)

HEIGHT/WEIGHT/BLOOD TYPE: 174 CM / 64 KG / O

BIRTHPLACE: BORN IN PUNA STREET RAISED IN BLUES CITY

HOBBIES: MAKING SILVER ACCESSORIES

SPECIAL SKILLS: MACHO IN DIN LADIES, STEALING

LIKES: GIRLS ASCADES

HATES: GUYS WHO PICK ON GIRLS

WELL, LOOKS LIKE SCHNEIDER'S BEEN EXPOSED AS AN ASSASSIN (LAUGHS) AND IT LOOKS LIKE NOTONE KNEW THAT MUSICA WAS AFTER HIM, OF COURSE NOT. HE CHANGED HIS HAIR. A ROUND OF APPLAUSE FOR THOSE OF YOU WHO FIGURED IT OUT.

THE FANS HAD MIXED REACTIONS TO THE CHANGE IN MUSICA'S HAIR. HEH HEH. BUT THE MAJORITY APPROVED SO THAT'S A RELIEF.

WE DIDN'T SEE MUCH OF HIM IN ACTION DURING THE CANCE SAGA, BUT WE'LL HAVE A BIG PART IN THE SHUDA SAGA IN THE NEXT VOLUME. PEOPLE SEEM TO BE HAPPY WITH HIS RETURN. I WAS NEARLY BUDED IN FAN LETTERS WHEN MUSICA CAME BACK.

[illegible]

If You Were PLUE

PLAY THE "IF YOU WERE PLUE" GAME TO FIND OUT WHAT KIND OF PLUE YOU'D BE!
HAVE YOU EVER WONDERED WHAT LIFE WOULD BE LIKE IF YOU WERE PLUE?

Hey everybody, if you were Plue, what kind of Plue would you be? Have you ever thought about it? No? That's fine. You can do it now! It's pretty simple. It depends on what your name is. I'll give you an example using the editor Jake Forbes.

1. JAKE FORBES — FIRST, WRITE OUT YOUR FIRST AND LAST NAME

2. J A K E F O R B E S
   10 1 11 5 6 13 16 2 5 17
   NEXT, ASSIGN A NUMBER FROM 1-26 TO EACH LETTER OF YOUR NAME. A = 1, B = 2, C = 3, D = 4, E = 5, AND SO ON THROUGH THE ALPHABET, UP TO Z = 26

3. 10+1+11+5+6+13+16+2+5+17 = 86
   NEXT, ADD ALL OF THE NUMBERS UP. THE LAST DIGIT IN THE TOTAL IS YOUR NUMBER. IN OUR EXAMPLE, JAKE FORBES' NUMBER IS 6. WHEN YOU HAVE YOUR NUMBER, TURN THE PAGE TO FIND OUT WHAT KIND OF PLUE YOU ARE!

IF YOU WERE PLUE 2:

This is where you use the number you found in the last page!

1. Regular Plue

JUST A REGULAR PLUE HERE WHO DOESN'T LIKE EVERYTHING BUT IS A BIT- BUT THAT'S NORMAL FOR HIM YOU'RE LIKE THE PLUE IN THE SERIES

2. Eating Plue

YOU WEIRDO YOU'RE HAPPIEST WHEN YOU'RE EATING BE CAREFUL YOU DON'T GET A

3. Sleeping Plue

AREN'T YOU GOING TO BE LATE EVEN IF YOU WERE PLUE YOU'D DO NOTHING BUT SLEEP

4. Drowning Plue

TRY YOUR DARNDEST TO DO WHAT YOU CAN'T LIKE TRYING TO CROSS THE OCEAN WHEN YOU CAN'T EVEN SWIM BE ALWAYS UP FOR A CHALLENGE

5. Curious Plue

IT'S GREAT TO BE CURIOUS AND HAVE LOTS OF INTERESTS BUT IT CAN ALSO GET YOU IN TROUBLE BE CAREFUL

6. Withered Plue

PLUE LOOKS SO FUNNY WHEN HE'S A WITHERED BUT I'M SURE YOU'LL MAKE A FINE PLUE

7. Hungry Plue

EAT SOMETHING YOU REALLY NEED TO EAT YOUR NOSE IS WITHERED YOU SHOULD MAKE FRIENDS WITH PEOPLE WHO ARE "EATING" PLUE

8. Crying Plue

AWWW IF YOU TAKE NOTHING BUT CRY YOU'LL MISS THE FUN THINGS IN LIFE MAYBE YOU'LL HAVE SMILING TOO

9. Cosplay Plue

YOU'RE TOO PLUE THAT SOMETIMES DRAW IN THE MARGINS DOING DIFFERENT THINGS YOU SHOULD HAVE COSPLAY A TOY

0. Griff?

SORRY BUT YOU'RE NOT PLUE YOU'RE GRIFF IT'S PRETTY RARE TO YOU SHOULD BE PROUD BUT KEEP UP THE GREAT MIND

RAVE RAVE BACKGROUND MATERIALS

Demon Card Digging Machine 1-A

"Afterwords"

FIRST OFF EXCUSES I'M SORRY BUT RAVE 007 WON'T BE APPEARING IN THIS VOLUME I APOLOGIZE TO EVERYONE WHO WAS LOOKING FORWARD TO IT PEOPLE MIGHT COMPLAIN "SOMETHING LIKE THAT CAN'T TAKE YOU MORE THAN AN HOUR TO DRAW!" WELL THAT MAY BE TRUE BUT IT TAKES MUCH LONGER THAN THAT FOR ME TO THINK OF WHAT TO DRAW YUP! THIS IS MY EXCUSE ACTUALLY THINGS HAVE BEEN REALLY BUSY FOR ME IN THE DRAWING DEPARTMENT AS I HAD TO DO DOUBLE INSTALLMENTS OF *RAVE MASTER* FOR *WEEKLY SHONEN MAGAZINE* PLUS SOME EXTRA COLOR PAGES FOR THE MAGAZINE THIS WAS THE SECOND TIME I DID TWO CHAPTERS AT ONCE FOR THE MAGAZINE (THE FIRST WAS FOR CHAPTERS 10 & 11) DOING THAT AND GETTING THINGS DONE FOR THE GRAPHIC NOVEL EDITION IS ABSOLUTELY THE WORST BUT I ENJOY DRAWING SO IT'S ALL GOOD IT'S HARD BUT IT'S FUN THAT'S THE BEST I'LL PROBABLY BE ABLE TO PUT RAVE 007 IN THE NEXT VOLUME AND AGAIN I'M REALLY SORRY EVERYONE!

WHOA THAT'S LONG! I'M HIRO MASHIMA A MANGA ARTIST WHO PUTS GAGS INTO HIS HANDWRITING WHAT DO YOU THINK OF *RAVE MASTER* VOLUME 4? WHEN I LOOK OVER IT AGAIN I REALIZE THAT THE ART IS CHANGING REALLY FAST (LAUGHS)! LIKE IN CHAPTERS 28 - 30 ALL OF A SUDDEN, I THOUGHT "I WANNA DRAW WELL!" SO I USED "GET BACKERS" AND SUCH AS A REFERENCE AND TRIED CHANGING THE ART A BIT I WAS A LITTLE HESITANT TO CHANGE THE DESIGNS I HAD BEEN USING FOR A WHILE SO IT WAS A LITTLE TOUGH BUT I'M STILL GOING TO KEEP LOOKING FOR WAYS TO IMPROVE MY ART I WANT TO GET BETTER AT DRAWING

BY THE WAY I'VE GOTTEN LETTERS THAT I USED AN "R" INSTEAD OF AN "L" IN "EXPLOSION" AND OF COURSE "L" IS THE CORRECT SPELLING I MADE A MISTAKE AND PUT "R"!(EDITOR'S NOTE: WE FIXED THIS FOR THE ENGLISH EDITION) A LOT OF ENGLISH COMES UP IN THE RAVE WORLD BUT I DON'T REALLY KNOW ENGLISH ALL THAT WELL SO I MAKE A LOT OF MISTAKES EVERYONE DON'T TRUST A SINGLE WORD OF ENGLISH OR ANY OTHER FOREIGN LANGUAGE IN *RAVE MASTER*. (LAUGHS)

OH AND BY THE WAY PLUE IS GOING TO BE IN "GET BACKERS"! I'M TOUCHED! THANK YOU SO VERY MUCH MR. AYAMINE! CAN I CALL YOU MY BIG BRO?

SPECIAL THANKS
TO "KATAGE" FOR HELPING ME WITH CHAPTER 29
TO "DOKE" FOR HELPING ME WITH CHAPTER 28
AND TO ALL THE READERS

NEXT TIME IN RAVE MASTER!

Raver Boi

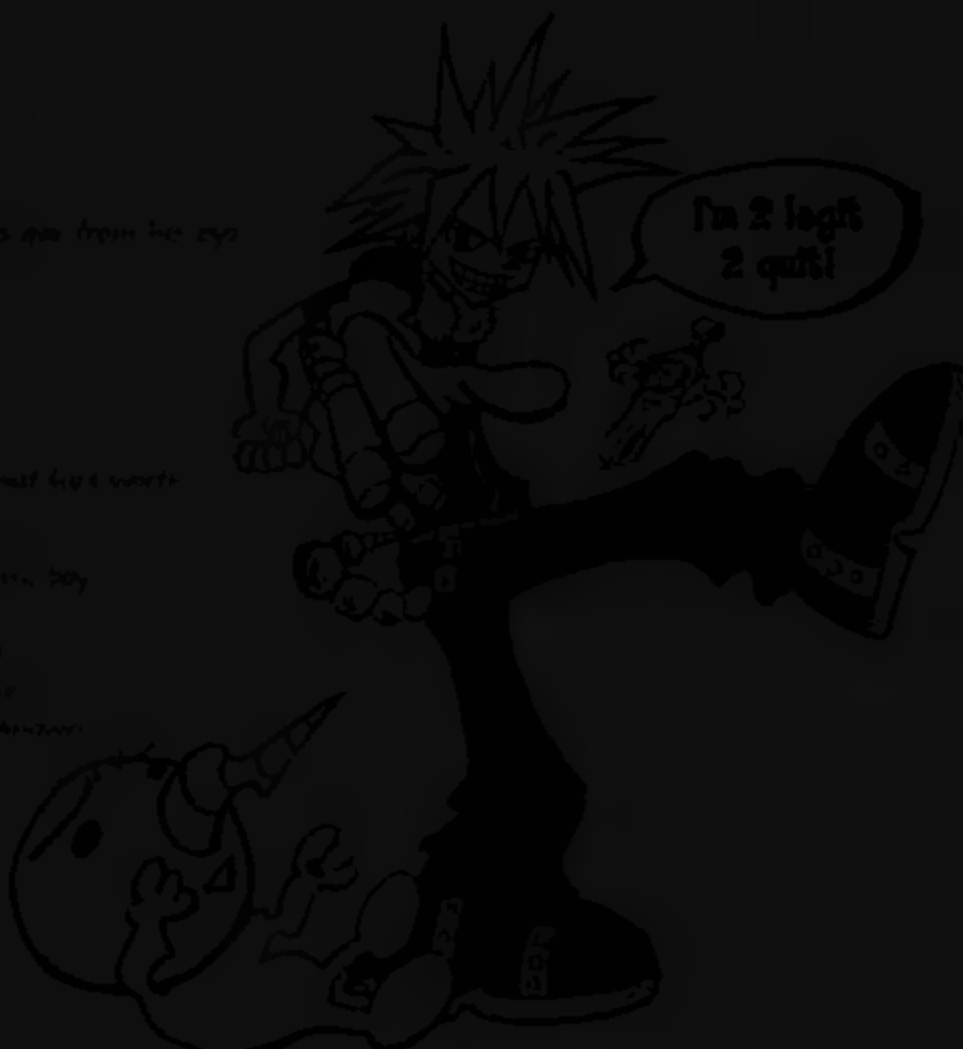
Haru's a boy
Eida's a girl
And together they're going on a quest
She's from Mink Street
He's Master of Rave
There's much more to say
He needed her
She's never been true down cause she needed him so much
And all of them meant
more Eida with his note
They've been a band and they were pretty cliche.

He was a Raver boy
He met a Blue Sky boy
But was he good enough to stand
Eyes and a happy face
But then a better race
Sky a journey attacks grows and then ends

Ten years ago
Haru was a great knight
But now he's a bear quite a 'grizzly' I get
He guards a Rave
You who does he see
The new raver boy. Hmm. they.
They might be friends
But Shade comes round
He he he's flying this
Haru runs out of the ground
Eve hops down
As the light leaves to the sky
Shall battle is written why storms are from his eye

He was a Raver boy
She said was he my boy
But was he good enough to be
A Rave Master lord
WAW the Ten Powers Sword
I'm Eida and the others prove what he's worth

He'll stay with the Raver boy
They say we're coming with you boy
Mama's back with the clans
Still we'll take them on the road
Ten we'll end them with the rave
And Eida's marriage still urgent tension



Hiro Mashima

Mashima-san was born in Nagano, Japan on May 8, 1977. He created RAVE for WEEKLY SHONEN MAGAZINE in 2008 when he was just 21 years old, and in 4 short years the series has already spanned 18 volumes, 3 guide books, a hit anime series, 2 console video games, quite a merchandise, and has been licensed to all kinds of countries around the world. Mashima-san is quite fond of his hair (he cuts it himself and constantly changes its color) He hates caterpillars (dont ask why) and ants that get to his path are just asking to be squashed. Oh yeah, and his blood is pi is B

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